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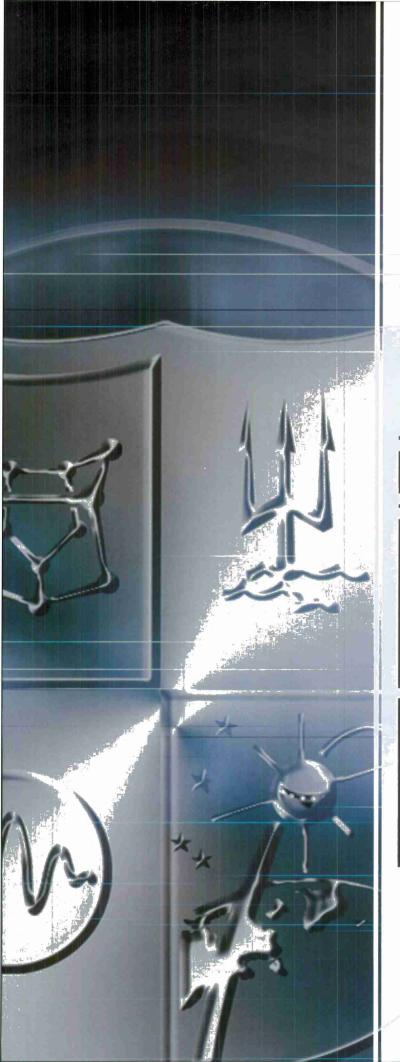
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# Introduction to the Naval Research Laboratory

# Mission

multidisciplinary program of scientific research and advanced technological development directed toward maritime applications of new and improved materials, techniques, equipment, systems, and ocean, atmospheric, and space sciences and related technologies.

The Naval Research Laboratory

Provides primary in-house research for the physical, engineering, space, and environmental sciences;

Provides broadly based exploratory and advanced development programs in response to identified and articipated DON needs;

Provides broad multidisciptinary, support to the Naval Warfare Centers;

Provides space and space systems technology development and support; and

Resumes responsibility as the Navy's corporate laboratory



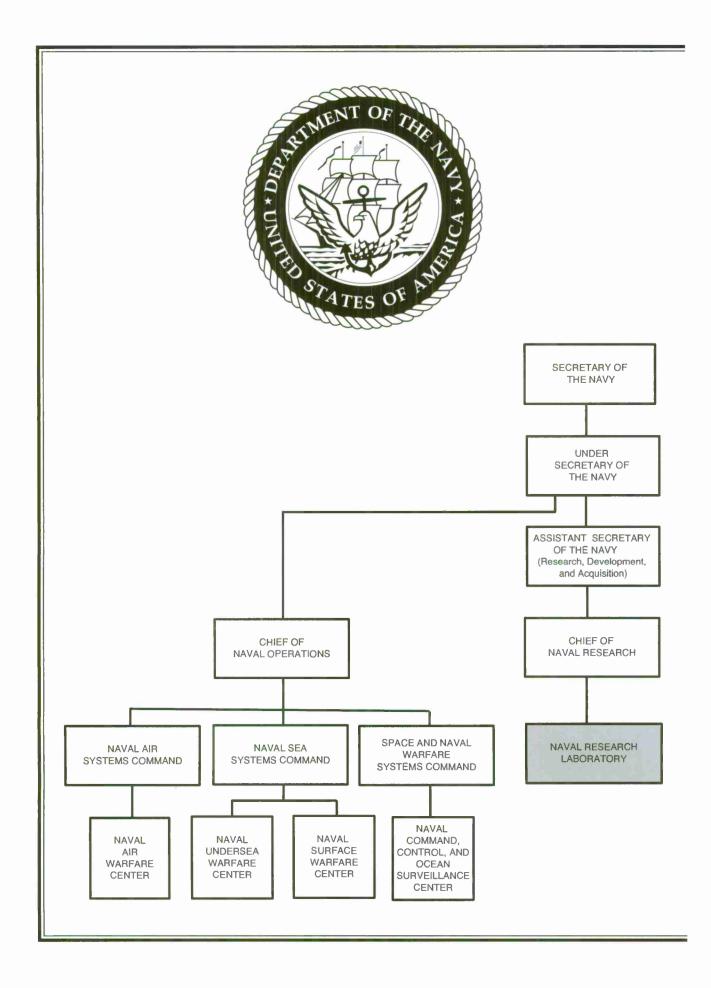
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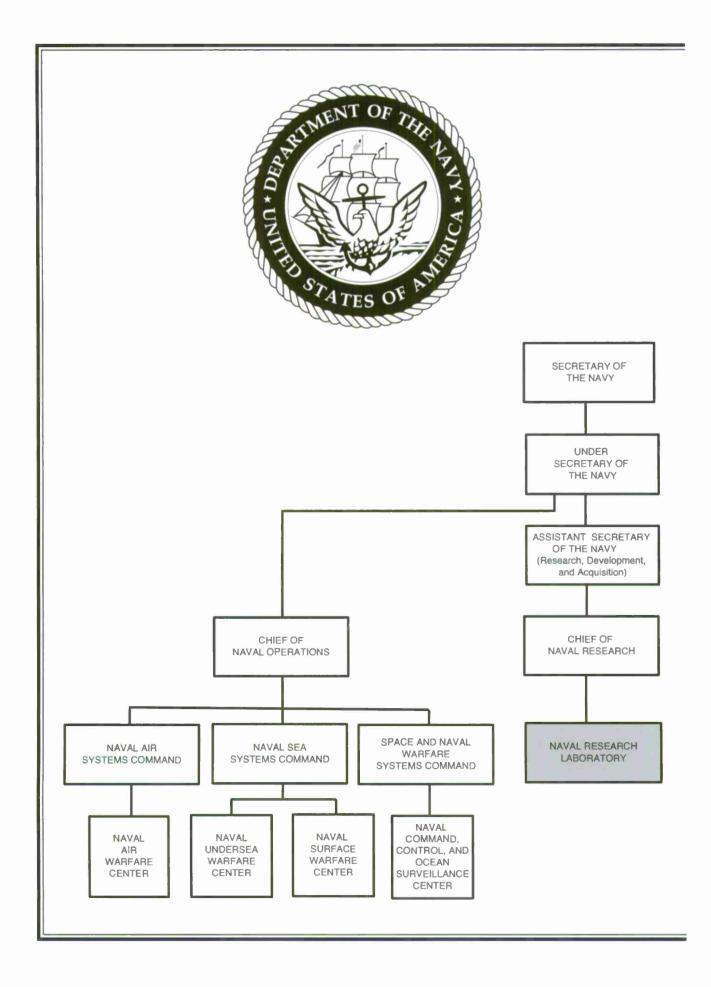


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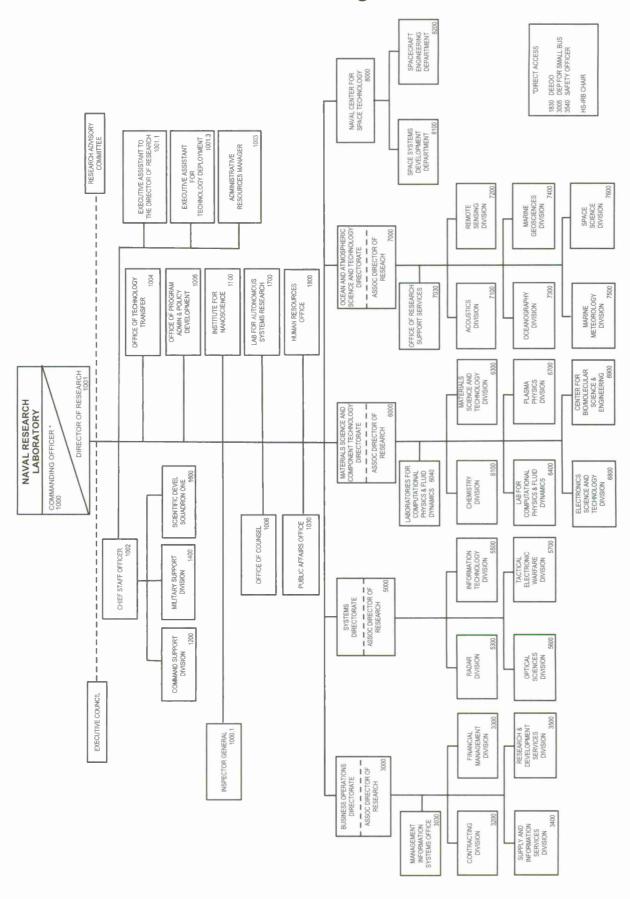
# The Naval Research Laboratory in the Department of the Navy

The Naval Research Laboratory is the Department of the Navy's corporate laboratory; it is under the command of the Chief of Naval Research. As the corporate laboratory of the Navy, NRL is the principal in-house component in the Office of Naval Research's (ONR) effort to meet its science and technology responsibilities.

NRL has had a long and fruitful relationship with industry as a collaborator, contractor, and most recently in Cooperative Research and Development Agreements (CRADAs). NRL values this linkage and continues to develop it.

NRL is an important link in the Navy Research, Development, and Acquisition (RD&A) chain. Through NRL, the Navy has direct ties with sources of fundamental ideas in industry and the academic community throughout the world and provides an effective coupling point to the R&D chain for ONR.

# **NRL Functional Organization**



# **Current Research**

The following areas represent broad fields of NRL research. Under each, more specific topics that are being investigated for the benefit of the Navy and other sponsoring organizations are listed. Some details of this work are given in the NRL Review, published annually. More specific details are published in reports on individual projects provided to sponsors and/or presented as papers for professional societies or their journals.

# Advanced Radio, Optical, and IR Sensors

Advanced optical sensors

EM/EO/meteorological/oceanographic sensors

Satellite meteorology

Precise space tracking

Radio/infrared astronomy

Infrared sensors and phenomenology

UV sensors and middle atmosphere research

Image processing

VLBI/astrometry

Optical interferometry

Imaging spectrometry

Liquid crystal technology

# **Autonomous Systems**

Algorithms for control of autonomous systems

Cognitive robotics

Human-robot interaction

Perception hardware and algorithms

High-level reasoning algorithms

Machine learning and adaptive algorithms

Sensors for autonomous systems

Power and energy for autonomous systems

Networking and communications for mobile systems

Swarm behaviors

Test and evaluation of autonomous systems

# **Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence**

Standard computer hardware, development environments, operating systems, and run-time support software

Methods of specifying, developing, documenting, and maintaining software

Human-computer interaction

Intelligent systems for resource allocation, signal identification, operational planning, target classification, and robotics

Parallel scientific libraries

Algorithms for massively parallel systems

Digital progressive HDTV for scientific visualization

Adaptive systems: software and devices

Advanced computer networking

Simulation management software for networked

high performance computers

Interactive 3D visualization tools and applications

Real-time parallel processing

Scalable, parallel computing

Petaflop computing, globally distributed file systems, terabit-per-second networking

# **Directed Energy Technology**

High-energy lasers

Laser propagation

Solid-state and fiber lasers

High-power microwave sources

RAM accelerators

Pulse detonation engines

Charged-particle devices

Pulse power

DE effects

# **Electronic Electro-optical Device Technology**

Integrated optics

Radiation-hardened electronics

Nanotechnology

Microelectronics

Microwave and millimeter-wave technology

Hydrogen masers for GPS

Aperture syntheses

Electric field coupling

Vacuum electronics

Focal plane arrays

Infrared sensors

Radiation effects and satellite survivability

Molecular engineering

### **Electronic Warfare**

EW/C2W/IW systems and technology

COMINT/SIGINT technology

EW decision aids and planning/control systems

Intercept receivers, signal processing, and identification systems

Passive direction finders

Decoys and offboard countermeasures (RF and IR)

Expendable autonomous vehicles/UAVs

Repeaters/jammers and EO/IR active countermeasures and techniques

Platform signature measurement and management

Threat and EW systems computer modeling and simulations

Visualization

Hardware-in-the-loop and flyable ASM simulators

Missile warning infrared countermeasures

RF environment simulators

EO/IR multispectral/hyperspectral surveillance

# Enhanced Maintainability, Reliability, and Survivability Technology

Coatings

Friction/wear reduction

Water additives and cleaners

Fire safety

Laser hardening

Satellite survivability

Corrosion control

Automation for reduced manning

Radiation effects

Mobility fuels

Chemical and biological sensors

Environmental compliance

# **Environmental Effects on Naval Systems**

Meteorological effects on communications

Meteorological effects on weapons, sensors, and platform performance

Air quality in confined spaces

Electromagnetic background in space

Solar and geomagnetic activity

Magnetospheric and space plasma effects

Nonlinear science

Ionospheric behavior

Oceanographic effects on weapons, sensors, and platforms

EM, EO, and acoustic system performance/ optimization

Environmental hazard assessment

Contaminant transport

Biosensors

Microbially induced corrosion

# Imaging Research/Systems

Remotely sensed signatures analysis

Real-time signal and image processing algorithms/

Image data compression methodology

Image fusion

Automatic target recognition

Scene/sensor noise characterization

Image enhancement/noise reduction

Scene classification techniques

Radar and laser imaging systems studies

Coherent/incoherent imaging sensor exploitation

Remote sensing simulation

Hyperspectral imaging

Microwave polarimetry

# Information Technology

High-performance, all-optical networking

Antijam communication links

Next-generation, signaled optical network

architectures

Integrated voice and data

Information security (INFOSEC)

Voice processing

High performance computing

High performance communications

Requirements specification and analysis

Real-time computing

Wireless mobile networking

Behavior detection

Machine learning

Information filtering and fusion

Integrated internet protocol (IP) and asynchronous transfer mode (ATM) multicasting

Reliable multicasting

Wireless networking with directional antennas

Sensor networking

Communication network simulation

Bandwidth management (quality of service)

High assurance software

Distributed network-based battle management

High performance computing supporting uniform and nonuniform memory access with single and multithreaded architectures

Distributed, secure, and mobile information infrastructures

Simulation-based virtual reality

High-end, progressive HDTV imagery processing and distribution

Defensive information warfare

Virtual reality/mobile augmented reality

3D multimodal interaction

Model integration (physical, environmental, biological, psychological) for simulation

Command decision support

Data fusion

### Marine Geosciences

Marine seismology, including propagation and noise measurement

Geoacoustic modeling in support of acoustic performance prediction

Geomagnetic modeling in support of nonacoustic system performance prediction

Static potential field measurement and analysis (gravity and magnetic) in support of navigation and geodesy

Geotechnology/sediment dynamics affecting mine warfare and mine countermeasures

Foreshore sediment transport

Geospatial information, including advanced seafloor mapping, imaging systems, and innovative object-oriented digital mapping models, techniques, and databases

### **Materials**

Superconductivity

Magnetism

Biological materials

Materials processing

Advanced alloy systems

Solid free-form fabrication

Environmental effects Energetic materials / explosives

Aerogels and underdense materials

Nanoscale materials

Nondestructive evaluation

Ceramics and composite materials

Thin film synthesis and processing

Electronic and piezoelectric ceramics

Thermoelectric materials

Active materials and smart structures Computational material science Paints and coatings Flammability Chemical/biological materials Spintronic materials and half metals Biomimetic materials Multifunctional materials Power and energy Synthetic biology

# Meteorology

Global, theater, tactical-scale, and on-scene numerical weather prediction

Data assimilation and physical initialization Atmospheric predictability and adaptive observations

Adjoint applications

Marine boundary layer characterization

Air/sea interaction; process studies

Coupled air/ocean/land model development

Tropical cyclone forecasting aids

Satellite data interpretation and application

Aerosol transport modeling

Meteorological applications of artificial intelligence and expert systems

On-scene environmental support system development/nowcasting

Tactical database development and applications

Meteorological tactical decision aids Meteorological simulation and visualization

### **Ocean Acoustics**

Underwater acoustics, including propagation, noise, and reverberation

Fiber-optic acoustic sensor development

Deep ocean and shallow water environmental acoustic characterization

Undersea warfare system performance modeling, unifying the environment, acoustics, and signal processing

Target reflection, diffraction, and scattering

Acoustic simulations

Tactical decision aids

Sonar transducers

Dynamic ocean acoustic modeling

# Oceanography

Oceanographic instrumentation

Open ocean, littoral, polar, and nearshore oceanographic forecasting

Shallow water oceanographic effects on operations

Modeling, sensors, and data fusion

Bio-optical and fine-scale physical processes

Oceanographic simulation and visualization

Coastal scene generation

Waves, tides, and surf prediction

Coupled model development

Coastal ocean characterization

Oceanographic decision aids

Global, theater, and tactical-scale modeling

Remote sensing of oceanographic parameters Satellite image analysis

Space Systems and Technology

Space systems architectures and requirements

Advanced payloads and optical communications

Controllers, processors, signal processing, and VLSI

Precision orbit estimation

Onboard autonomous navigation

Satellite ground station engineering and implementation

Tactical communication systems

Spacecraft antenna systems

Launch and on-orbit support

Precise Time and Time Interval (PTTI) technology

Atomic time/frequency standards/instrumentation

Passive and active ranging techniques

Design, fabrication, and testing of spacecraft and hardware

Structural and thermal analysis

Attitude determination and control systems

Reaction control

Propulsion systems

Navigation, tracking, and orbit dynamics

Spaceborne robotics applications

# Surveillance and Sensor Technology

Point defense technology

Imaging radars

Surveillance radars

Multifunction RF systems

High-power millimeter-wave radar

Target classification/identification

Airborne geophysical studies

Fiber-optic sensor technology

Undersea target detection/classification

EO/IR multispectral/hyperspectral detection and classification

Sonar transducers

Electromagnetic sensors, gamma ray to RF wavelengths

SQUID for magnetic field detection

Low observables technology

Ultrawideband technology

Interferometric imagery

Microsensor system

Digital framing reconnaissance canvas

Biologically based sensors

Digital radars and processors

### **Undersea Technology**

Autonomous vehicles

Bathymetric technology

Anechoic coatings

Acoustic holography

Unmanned undersea vehicle dynamics

Weapons launch

# **Major Research Capabilities and Facilities**

(Listed alphabetically by organizational unit)

### **Acoustics Division (Code 7100)**

Laboratory Measurements

One-million-gallon, vibration-isolated underwater acoustic holographic/3D laser vibrometer facility for studying structural acoustic phenomena

Large, sandy-bottom, acoustic holographic pool facility for investigating echo characteristics of underwater buried/near-bottom targets and sediment acoustics

In-air structural acoustics facility with high spatial density near-field acoustic holography and 3D laser vibrometry for diagnosing large structures, including aircraft interiors and rocket payload fairings

Salt water acoustic tank (20 ft by 20 ft by 10 ft deep) with environmental control and substantial optical access for studying the acoustics of bubbly media, acoustic metamaterials, and laser induced sound

Micro-Nanostructure Dynamics Laboratory to study the structural dynamics and performance of high Q oscillators and other micromechanical systems using laser Doppler vibrometers, super resolution nearfield scanning optical microscope, and low temperature calorimeter

Model Fabrication Laboratory to fabricate rough topographical surfaces in various materials for acoustic scattering and propagation studies and measurements.

Sonomagnetic Laboratory with doubly insulated Faraday cage for conducting experiments to measure weak electromagnetic fields generated by mechanical/acoustic vibrations of a conducting medium in an arbitrary magnetic field

### Seagoing Assets

Acoustic arrays (towed/moored/suspended)
64-channel broadband source–receiver array with
time-reversal mirror functionality over a frequency
band of 500 to 3500 Hz

High-powered sound sources and source arrays Autonomous acoustic sources

Acoustic communications array and data acquisition buoy

Portable, ocean-deployable synthetic aperture acoustic measurement system (100-meter rail with precise positioning)

Containerized, seagoing multichannel data acquisition system

High-speed, maneuverable towed body with MK-50 and synthetic aperture sonars to measure high frequency scattering and coherence

# Center for Bio/Molecular Science and Engineering (Code 6900)

Optical equipment Confocal microscope Raman microscope UV-visible absorption spectrophotometers

Transmission electron microscope

Scanning electron microscope

Microscope/atomic force microscope

Nanosight (nanoparticle tracking analysis)

Analytical instruments

Gas chromatography mass spectrometer

**HPLC** 

LC/MS/MS system

FluroMax-3 spectrofluorometer

Titration workstation

### General facilities

X-ray scattering

Cold room for storage and preparation

High-speed ultracentrifuges

Inert atmosphere dry box

**NMR** 

FTIR

Ellipsometer

Dynamic mechanical analyzer

Differential scanning calorimeter

Circular dichroism

Minimill injection mold machine

Multi RF centrifuge

Perkin Elmer BioChip Arrayer l

Freeze-dry system

Affymetrix Gene Chip system

Surface plasmon resonance (SPR)

Isothermal calorimeter

### Chemistry Division (Code 6100)

Synthesis/processing facilities

Paint formulation and coating

Functional polymers/elastomers/composites

Nanotubes/Nanofibers

Surface modification

Thin film deposition/etching with in situ control

Marine Corrosion Facility (at Key West, FL)

Fire/Damage Control Test Facility (at Mobile, AL)

Characterization facilities

General-purpose chemical analysis/trace analysis

Surface diagnostics

Nanometer scale composition/structure/properties

Magnetic resonance NDI

Tribology

Polymer structure/function/dynamics

Special-purpose capability

Environmental monitoring/remediation

Combustion and fire research

Alternate and petroleum-derived fuels

Trace explosive detection test beds

Trace vapor generation and detection test beds

Simulation/modeling

Synchrotron radiation beam lines (at NSLS,

Brookhaven, NY)

Pressurized test chambers (small, medium, large)

# **Electronics Science and Technology Division** (Code 6800)

Nano- and microelectronics characterization and processing facilities

Electron-beam nanowriter

High-resolution transmission electron microscope Scanning tunneling microscopy and electro-optical analysis

Material growth facilities including bulk crystal growth, molecular beam epitaxy, organometallic chemical vapor deposition, and atomic layer deposition

Optical and electrical characterization of materials Electronic testing and analysis facilities

Cathode fabrication and characterization laboratory Millimeter-wave vacuum electronics fabrication

Femtosecond laser facility

Solar cell characterization facility

Power electronics materials characterization and device processing facilities

# Information Technology Division (Code 5500)

Extended Spectrum Experimentation Laboratory Robotics and Autonomous Systems Laboratory Immersive Simulation Laboratory

Warfighter Human-Systems Integration Laboratory Audio Laboratory

Mobile and Dynamic Network Laboratory

Integrated Communications Technology Test Lab General Electronics Environmental Test Facility

Key Management Laboratory

Crypto Technology Laboratory

Navy Cyber Defense Research Laboratory

Communications Security (COMSEC) Laboratory

Navy Shipboard Communications Testbed Behavior Detection Laboratory

Virtual Reality Laboratory

Service Oriented Architecture Laboratory

Distributed Simulation Laboratory

Motion Imagery Laboratory

Laboratory for Large Data Research

Affiliated Resource Center for High Performance Computing

Ruth H. Hooker Research Library

# Institute for Nanoscience (Code 1100)

Clean room (5000 sq ft), quiet (4000 sq ft), and ultraquiet (1000 sq ft) laboratories

35 dB and 25 dB acoustically isolated zones  $20^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 0.5^{\circ}\text{C}$  and  $0.1^{\circ}\text{C}$  controlled temperature zones

Vibration isolation

Vertical (mm, pp) <0.1 @ 70–500 Hz Horizontal (mm, pp) <0.1 @ 70–500 Hz

Clean electrical power, free from SCR spikes and other interferences, and  $< \pm 10\%$  voltage change

<0.5 mG at 60 Hz EMl

 $45 \pm 5\%$  relative humidity

Class 100 clean room

Source of water meeting ASTM D5127 spec. Type E1.2

Clean Room Major Equipment

Monitoring system (toxic gas, hazmat, temperature)

Laminar flow wet benches for localized Class 1/10 ambient in clean room

Air purification unit to remove local organic contamination

DI water system

Wire bonder

E-beam writer with active vibration control system

Scanning electron microscope

Atomic force microscope

Metallurgical optical microscopes

Surface profiler

Mask aligners (2, 1, and 0.2 µm)

Electron beam evaporation system

Low pressure chemical vapor deposition

(LPCVD) system

Magnetron sputter deposition system

Reactive ion etching systems

Dual-beam focused ion beam workstation

Optical pattern generating system

Laser micromachining system

Plasma-enhanced chemical vapor deposition (PECVD) system

Plasma-enhanced atomic layer deposition system

Chlorine reactive ion etching system

Other Major Equipment

Transmission electron microscope

UHV multi-tip scanning tunneling microscope/ nanomanipulator

# Laboratories for Computational Physics and Fluid Dynamics (Code 6040)

1120-core x86 cluster

(3) 64-core SGl Altix systems

184-core x86 cluster

256-core SG1 1CE

256-processor Opteron cluster

More than sixty SGI, Apple, and Intel workstations

Three-quarter-terabyte RAID disk storage systems

All computers and workstations have network connections to NICENET and ATDnet allowing access to the NRL CCS facilities (including the DoD HPC resources) and many other computer resources both internal and external to NRL

# Laboratory for Autonomous Systems Research (Code 1700)

Prototyping High Bay: (150 ft by 75 ft by 30 ft), contains real-time motion capture system, directional environmental sounds, GPS repeater and simulator

Four human-systems interaction labs contain eye trackers and multiuser, multitouch monitors

Littoral High Bay with 45 ft by 25 ft by 5.5 ft deep pool with 16-channel wave generator and slope that allows simulation of littoral environments; multiple sediment

- tanks (from 5 ft to 16 ft); GPS repeater and simulator; portable tank 4 ft by 36 ft
- Desert High Bay with a 40 ft by 14 ft area of sand 2.5 ft deep, and 18 ft high rock walls; high speed fans and variable lighting
- Tropical High Bay, a 60 ft by 40 ft greenhouse, contains a re-creation of a southeast Asian rain forest with native plants; nominal 80 degrees temperature and 80% humidity; can generate rain events up to 6 in. per hour; Rainforest contains waterfall, stream, and pond
- Outdoor test range is a 1/3 acre highland forest with a waterfall, stream and pond, and terrain of differing difficulty including large bolder structures and earthen berms
- Sensor lab contains environmental chambers (small and walk-in) with maximum temperature range of -50°F to 375°F, relative humidity from 10% to 95% and for smaller chamber, barometric pressure of -9000 feet to 100,000 feet; lab also contains various fume hoods, biosafety cabinet, anechoic chamber, vapor generators, and other specialized equipment
- Power and energy lab contains specialized equipment including a battery dry room, glove box, isolation room, and fume hoods

### Marine Geosciences Division (Code 7400)

- Airborne gravimetry, magnetics, and topographic measurements suite coupled with differential GPS yielding position accuracies of <1.0 meter
- 100 and 500 kHz sidescan sonar with 2–12 kHz chirp profiler and Cs magnetometer for seafloor characterization/imaging and shallow subbottom profiling
- Deep-towed acoustic geophysical system operating at 220–1000 Hz characterizes subseafloor structure including gas clathrate accumulations and dissociation of methane hydrates
- Acoustic seafloor classification system operating at 8–50 kHz provides underway, real-time prediction of sediment type and physical properties
- Seafloor probes for measuring sediment pore water pressures, permeability, electrical resistivity, acoustic compressional and shear wave velocities and attenuations, and dynamic penetration resistance
- 100 and 300 kV transmission electron microscopes with environmental cell for study of sediment fabric, especially impact of organic matter
- Map data formatting facility compresses map information onto CD-ROM media for masters for use in aircraft digital moving map systems
- Comprehensive geotechnical and geoacoustics laboratory capability
- Airborne electromagnetic (AEM) bathymetry system Ocean bottom magnetometer system
- 3D, multispectral, subbottom swath imaging system Ocean bottom seismographs (OBS)
- In situ sediment acoustic measurement system (IS-SAMS)
- Instrumented mine shapes to measure hydrodynam-

- ics of free-fall in the water column, dynamics of deceleration in seafloor sediments, and rates and depths of scour burial
- Hydrothermal plume imaging data acquisition and analysis system
- Integrated digital databases analysis and display system for bathymetric, meteorological, oceanographic, geoacoustic, and acoustic data
- Stereometric video image processing system for use in foreshore morphology measurement
- Sediment gas-content sampler
- Acoustic tomographic probes for surf zone sands and gassy muds
- Computed tomography (CT) system and real-time radiography unit with a 0–225 keV @ 0–1 mA microfocus X-ray tube and a 225 mm image intensifier
- Patented Geospatial Information Data Base (GIDB<sup>TM</sup>) for rapidly accessing disparate geospatial content on the Internet. This is the most extensive interconnection of geospatial data that exists. http://dmap.nrlssc.navy.mil
- Human-centered display design through the application of human factors principles in the design of geospatial displays (e.g., analysis of clutter in electronic displays)
- GPS-based survey vehicles and equipment to measure foreshore and nearshore bathymetry (camera towers, jet ski, and push cart)
- Geospatial visualization lab for rapid 2D and 3D graphic and physical visualization, analysis, and prototyping
- Small oscillatory flow tunnel to observe sediment dynamics under forcing from waves and currents
- Tomographic particle image velocimetry system for three-dimensional volumetric velocity measurements of fluid flow

### Marine Meteorology Division (Code 7500)

- The USGODAE Data Server (Global Ocean Data Assimilation Experiment) for collection and distribution of near-real-time METOC data and higher-level products from Navy and other providers to the global ocean and atmospheric research community
- AN/SMQ-11 shipboard antenna system for retrieving polar-orbiting satellite data
- Geostationary satellite data direct readout and polarorbiting satellite data processing center
- Supercomputer for numerical weather prediction systems development
- Master Environmental Library (MEL) implemented on superworkstations for archiving and distributing real-time and historical atmosphere/ocean databases
- Bergen Data Center for extensive file serving on disks and research data backup/archival capability on tapes
- Data visualization center for developing shipboard briefing tools, displaying observations and model output, and integrating meteorological parameters into tactical simulations
- Classified radar and satellite data processing facility

Two Mobile Atmospheric Aerosol and Radiation Characterization Observatories (MAARCO) Technical research library

# **Materials Science and Technology** Division (Code 6300)

Hot isostatic press Cold isostatic press

High-energy dispersive X-ray analytical system

Electron microprobe, SEM, SAM, and STEM systems

Quantitative metallography

Computer-controlled multiaxial loading and SCC measurement systems

Computer-aided experimental stress analysis

Crystallite orientation distribution function (CODF)

Class 1000 clean room; processing metallic film

Elevated temperature and structural characterization laboratory

Metallic film deposition systems

Magnetometry

Cryogenic facilities

High-field magnets

High-resolution analytical electron microscope

Isothermal heat treating facility

Vacuum arc melting facility

Vacuum induction melting facility

3 MeV tandem Van de Graaff accelerator

200 keV ion-implantation facility

Precision colorimeters

Polymer synthesis and characterization

Microwave device test facility

Excimer laser film deposition facility

Bomen infrared spectrometer facility

Diffuse light scattering facility

Femtosecond laser facility

Surface characterization facility

Accelerator mass spectrometry facility

Carbon-14 dating facility

Laminated object manufacturing system

Thermal analysis characterization suite (TGA/DSC/ DMA/DEA/rheometer)

Dielectric characterization facility

Composites processing autoclave

3D ESPI strain measurement system

Biomechanical surrogate fabrication facility

### Oceanography Division (Code 7300)

Towed sensor and advanced microstructure profiler systems for studying upper ocean fine and micro-

Integrated absorption cavity and optical profiler systems for studying ocean optical characteristics

Self-contained bottom-mounted upward-looking acoustic profilers for measuring ocean variability

Acoustic Doppler profiler for determining ocean currents while under way

Remotely operated underwater vehicle (ROV)

Bottom-mounted acoustic Doppler profilers

Towed hyperspectral optical array

SCI processing facility

Satellite receiving stations for AVHRR, MODIS, and

DMSP ocean color processing facility

Environmental scanning electron microscope, confocal laser scanning microscope, and the new Inspect S low vacuum scanning electron microscope for detailed studies of biocorrosion in naval materials

Real-time Ocean Observations and Forecast Facility for monitoring and tracking of ocean physical and bio-optical conditions

Slocum Electric Gliders for performing wide-area ocean surveys of temperature, salinity, and optical characteristics

SCANFISH MKII, a towed undulating vehicle system. designed for collecting 3D TS profile data of the water column

Bottom-mounted Shallow water Environmental Profiler in Trawl-safe Real-time configuration (SEPTR) for measuring temperature, salinity, and optical parameters in addition to current profiles and pressure

### **Optical Sciences Division (Code 5600)**

Optical probes laboratory to study viscoelastic, structural, and transport properties of molecular systems Short-pulse excitation apparatus for kinetic mechanisms investigations

IR laser facility for optical characterization of semiconductors

Facilities for synthesis and characterization of optical glass compositions and for the fabrication of optical

Silica and IR fluoride/chalcogenide fiber fabrication facilities

Environmental testing of fiber sensors (acoustic, magnetic, electric field, etc.)

Laser diode pumped solid-state lasers

Mid-IR, low-phonon crystal growth facility

Infrared countermeasure techniques laboratory

Mobile, high-precision optical tracker

EO/IR technology/systems modeling and simulation capabilities

Field-qualified EO/IR measurement devices

Focal plane array evaluation facility

Facilities for fabricating and testing integrated optical devices

Panchromatic and multi- and hyperspectral digital imaging processing facilities

NRL P-3 aircraft sensor pallet

Airborne EO/IR and radar sensors

VNIR through SWIR hyperspectral systems VNIR, MWIR, and LWIR high-resolution systems Wideband SAR systems

RF and laser data links

High-speed, high-power photodetector characteriza-

Communication link characterization to >100 Gbps RF phase noise, noise figure, and network analysis Ultrahigh-speed A/O converters

### Plasma Physics Division (Code 6700)

Mercury, 6 MV, 360 kA, magnetically insulated inductive voltage adder

Gamble II, 1 MV, 1 MA pulsed power generator

HAWK, 1 MA inductive storage facility

Table-Top Terawatt (T³) laser system

Table-Top Ti: Sapphire Femtosecond Laser (TFL) systems (10 Hz and 1 kHz)

NIKE krypton fluoride laser facility

Space Physics Simulation Chamber

Plasma Applications Laboratory

Microwave facility for processing of advanced materials (2.45, 35, 83, and 60–120 GHz)

ELECTRA, test bed for high-rep 5 Hz KrF laser

Railgun Materials Testing Facility

Directed Energy Physics Facility SWOrRD laser facility

# Radar Division (Code 5300)

Shipboard radar research and development test beds:

AMRFC test bed

AN/SPS-49A(V)1

Airborne research radar facility, APS-137D(V)5

High-power 94 GHz radar system

Ultrahigh-resolution radar system (microwave microscope)

Radar signature calculation facility

Electromagnetic numerical computation facility

Compact range antenna measurement laboratory and nearfield scanner

Electronic protection (EP) and adaptive pulse compression (APC) test bed

Electronic computer-aided design facility

Microwave and RF instrumentation laboratory

Functional materials electromagnetic analysis laboratory

High-bandwidth, high-capacity data recording system

High frequency (HF) multiple-input-multiple-out-put (MIMO) test bed

### Remote Sensing Division (Code 7200)

Ground-based water vapor millimeter-wave spectrometer (WVMS)

SAR processing facility

SCI processing facility

**SEALAB** 

SAIL

Hyperspectral imaging, sensors, and processing

Optical remote sensing calibration lab/facility

Navy Prototype Optical Interferometer (NPOI)

NRL/NRAO 74 MHz Very Large Array

Free surface hydrodynamics laboratory (including a 10 m wave tank)

WindSat processing facility

Volume imaging lidar system

Aerosol and field measurement facility

NRL RP-3A aircraft sensors

Airborne polarimetric microwave imaging

radiometer (APMIR)

Airborne lidar

Millimeter-wave imager

Interferometric synthetic aperture radar

(InSAR)

Flight-level meteorological sensors

Visible/near infrared (VNIR) hyperspectral imaging systems

Mid-wave infrared (MWIR) indium antimonide (InSb) hyperspectral imaging system

Long-wave infrared (LWIR) quantum well IR photodetector (QWIP) imaging system

# Research and Development Services Division (Code 3500)

Military construction

Research support engineering

Planning

Full range of facility contracting, including construction, architect/engineering services, facilities support, and reserved parking

Transportation

Telephone services

Maintenance and repair of buildings, grounds, and communication and alarm systems

Shops for machining, sheet metal, welding, and plating

Occupational safety and health

Environmental

Health physics

# Spacecraft Engineering Department (Code 8200)

Chambers:

Thermal-vacuum

Acoustic reverberation

Large, tapered horn, RF anechoic chamber

EMI/EMC testing chamber

Facilities:

Spacecraft high-reliability electronic and electrical rework facility

Spacecraft electronic systems integration and test facility

Radio frequency (RF) system development facility

RF microcircuit fabrication clean room facility

Large tapered horn RF anechoic chamber facility

Frequency sources laboratory

Shock and vibration test

Clean rooms (multiple classes and sizes)

Spacecraft fabrication and assembly

Fuels testing

Autoclave

Space robotics laboratory

Proximity operations testbed

CAD/CAM

Propulsion system welding

Static loads test

Star tracker characterization

Spacecraft spin balance

Modal analysis

Computational astrodynamic simulation and visualization

# **Space Science Division (Code 7600)**

Development and test facilities for satellite, sounding rocket, and balloon instruments, to perform solar terrestrial, astrophysical, astronomical, solar, upper/middle atmospheric, and space environment sensing Infrared Test Facility (IRTF)

Solar Coronagraph Optical Test Chamber (SCOTCH) Vacuum Ultraviolet Calibration Facility (VUCF)

Gamma Ray Imaging Laboratory (GRIL)

Doppler Asymmetric Spatial Heterodyne Spectroscopy (DASH) balloon instrument

Very high angular Resolution Imaging Spectrometer (VERIS) sounding rocket instrument

Remote Atmospheric and Ionospheric Detection System (RAIDS) International Space Station instrument

Extreme Ultraviolet Imaging Spectrometer (EIS) satellite instrument

Sun Earth Connection Coronal and Heliospheric Investigation (SECCHI) satellite instrument suite

Solar Orbiter Heliospheric Imager (SoloHI) satellite instrument

Wide-field Imager (WISPR) satellite instrument Compact Coronograph (CCOR) satellite instrument Special Sensor Ultraviolet Limb Imager (SSULI) satellite instrument

Spatial Heterodyne Imager for Mesospheric Radicals (SHIMMER) satellite instrument

Atmospheric Neutral Density Experiment (ANDE) microsatellite

Extensive computer-assisted data manipulation, interpretive, and theoretical capabilities for space science instrumentation operations, data imaging, and modeling

SECCHI Payload Operations Center (POC)

Fermi Gamma-ray Space Telescope (formerly GLAST) Science Analysis Center (SAC)

Simulation of radiation detection and systems in space and terrestrial environments (SWORD & SMART)

Mountain Wave Forecast Model (MWFM)

Advanced Level Physics High Altitude extension of the Navy Operational Global Atmospheric Prediction System (NOGAPS-ALPHA)

Synthetic Scene Generation Model (SSGM)

Integrating the Sun-Earth System for the Operational Environment (ISES-OE)

# Space Systems Development Department (Code 8100)

Payload test facility and processor development laboratory

Laser communications and electro-optics laboratories

Tactical Technology Development Laboratory (TTDL)

Precision oscillator (clock) test facility

RF payload development laboratory with anechoic chamber

Precision high-frequency RF compact range anechoic chamber facility

Transportable ground station development, assembly, and test facility

Multiplatform FPGA/ASIC/VLSI development laboratory

Satellite telemetry, tracking, and satellite control at Blossom Point, MD

L/C/S/X-band fixed antenna resources Connectivity to the Air Force Satellite Control Network (AFSCN)

Pomonkey field site: large antenna, space communications, and research facility

Midway Research Center space communications and research facility

Optical telescope facility

# Tactical Electronic Warfare Division (Code 5700)

Visualization display room

Transportable step frequency radar

Vehicle development laboratory Offboard test platform

Compared test platform

Compact antenna range facility

Isolation measurement chamber facility

RFCM techniques development chamber facility

Low-power anechoic chamber

High-power microwave research facility

Electro-optics mobile laboratory

Infrared-electro-optical calibration and characterization laboratory

Infrared missile simulator and simulator development laboratory

Secure supercomputing facility

CBD/Tilghman Island IR field evaluation facility Ultrashort pulse laser effects research and analysis laboratory

Central Target Simulator facility

Flying Electronic Warfare laboratory

High-power RF explosive laboratory

Classified material lay-up facility

Classified computing facilities

RF measurement laboratory

Wet chemistry laboratory

Ultra-near-field test facility

RF and millimeter-wave laboratory

Optical laboratory

Paint room

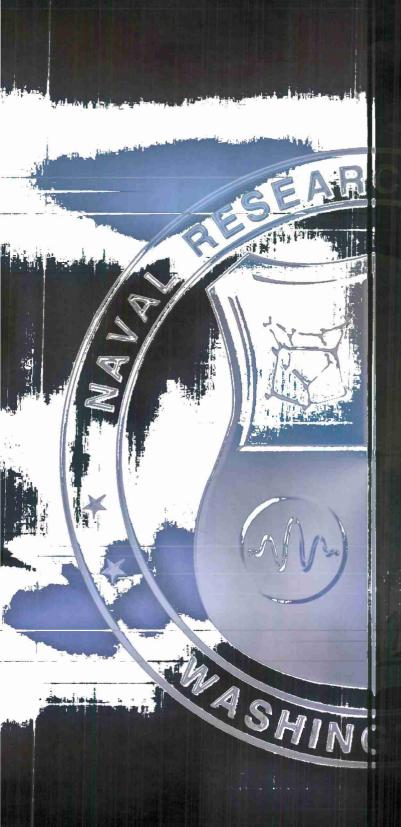
Secure laboratories for classified projects

# **NRL Sites and Facilities**

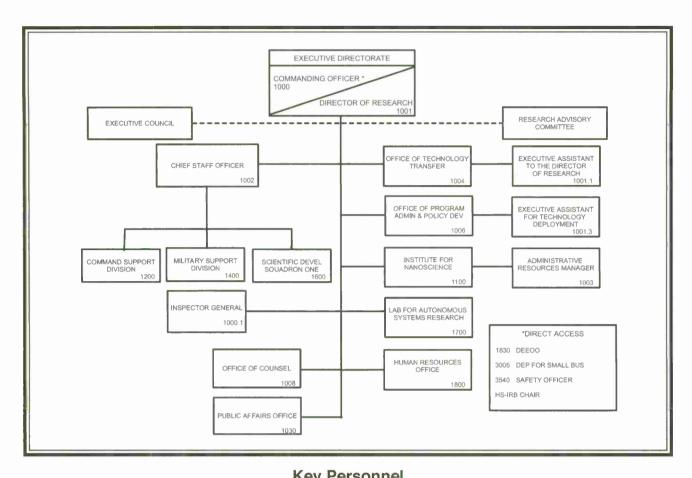
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SITE	LAND OWNED/LEASED	EASEMENT/ LICENSE- PERMIT	BUILDINGS/ STRUCTURES
District of Columbia			
NRL and			
Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling*	131/0	0/10.13	93/30
Virginia			
Midway Research Center			
Quantico*	162/0	0/0	7/11
Maryland			
NRL Scientific Development Squadron One (VXS-1), NAS Patuxent River* Chesapeake Bay Section and Dock Facility	Tenant		
Chesapeake Beach*	168/0	.6/.02	47/77
Multiple Research Site	100/0	.07.02	17777
Tilghman Island*	3/0	0/0	3/3
Free Space Antenna Range	3,0	0,0	
Pomonkey*	141/0	0/0	10/10
Blossom Point Satellite Tracking			
and Command Station	0.40	0/065	22/23
Blossom Point*	0/0	0/265	22/23
Florida			
Marine Corrosion Facility	Tenant		
Key West California	Tellalit		
NRL Monterey	Tenant		
Monterey*	Tellant		
Mississippi			
Stennis Space Center	Tenant		
Bay St. Louis* Alabama	ICHAIR		
	Tenant		
Ex-USS <i>Shadwell</i> (LSD-15)  Mobile Bay	TOHAII		
Decommissioned 457-ft vessel use	ed for fire research		

			<b>PROPERTY</b>		
Land:	824 acres	<b>Buildings:</b>		<b>Replacement Costs:</b>	
		RDT&E	3,183,094 ft <sup>2</sup>	Buildings Plant Replacen	nent
		Administrative	249,121 ft <sup>2</sup>	Value (PRV) <sup>1</sup>	\$1,252.0 million
		Other	266,749 ft <sup>2</sup>	Equipment Costs <sup>2</sup>	\$523.7 million

Per DON Facilities Asset Data System standard cost factors. 
NRL Accountable Property Acquisition Costs
See maps in the General Information section (page 131).



**Executive Directorate** 



Key Personnel				
Title	Code			
Commanding Officer	1000			
Director of Research	1001			
Executive Assistant to the Director of Research	1001.1			
Head, Strategic Workforce Planning	1001.2			
Executive Assistant for Technology Deployment	1001.3			
NRL Historian	1001.15			
Chief Staff Officer/Inspector General	1002/1000.1			
Command Management Review	1000.12			
Head, Office of Technology Transfer	1004			
Head, Office of Program Administration and				
Policy Development	1006			
Head, Office of Counsel	1008			
Head, Public Affairs Office	1030			
Director, Institute for Nanoscience	1100			
Head, Command Support Division	1200			
Head, Military Support Division	1400			
Commanding Officer, Scientific Development				
Squadron One (VXS-1)	1600			
Director, Laboratory for Autonomous Systems Research	1700			
Director, Human Resources Office	1800			
Deputy Equal Employment Opportunity Officer	1830			
Deputy for Small Business	3005			
Head, Safety Branch	3540			
	Commanding Officer Director of Research Executive Assistant to the Director of Research Head, Strategic Workforce Planning Executive Assistant for Technology Deployment NRL Historian Chief Staff Officer/Inspector General Command Management Review Head, Office of Technology Transfer Head, Office of Program Administration and Policy Development Head, Office of Counsel Head, Public Affairs Office Director, Institute for Nanoscience Head, Command Support Division Head, Military Support Division Commanding Officer, Scientific Development Squadron One (VXS-1) Director, Laboratory for Autonomous Systems Research Director, Human Resources Office Deputy Equal Employment Opportunity Officer Deputy for Small Business			

<sup>\*</sup>Acting \*Additional Duty

# **EXECUTIVE DIRECTORATE**

### Code 1000 and Code 1001

The Commanding Officer (Code 1000) and the Director of Research (Code 1001) share executive responsibility for the management of the Naval Research Laboratory. In accordance with Navy requirements, the Commanding Officer is responsible for the overall management of the Laboratory and exercises the usual functions of command including compliance with legal and regulatory requirements, liaison with other military activities, and the general supervision of the quality, timeliness, and effectiveness of the technical work and of the support services.

The Commanding Officer delegates line authority and assigns responsibility to the Director of Research for the Laboratory's technical program, its planning, conduct, and staffing; evaluation of the technical competence of personnel; liaison with the scientific community; selection of subordinate technical personnel; exchange of technical information; and the effective execution of the NRL mission.

Within the limits of Navy regulations, the Commanding Officer and the Director of Research share authority and responsibility for the internal management of the Laboratory. The Commanding Officer retains all authority and responsibility specifically assigned to him by higher authority.

The mission of the Laboratory is carried out by three science and technology directorates and the Naval Center for Space Technology, supported by the Business Operations Directorate and the Executive Directorate. In addition, the Laboratory's operating staffs provide assistance in their special fields to the Commanding Officer and to the Director of Research. The operating staffs are listed on the following pages of this publication.

# **Commanding Officer**

Aptain Anthony J. Ferrari is a native of Queens, NewYork, and was raised in the New York/New Jersey area. Upon graduation from Delran High School in 1982, he joined the Navy and attended the Naval Academy Preparatory School in Newport, Rhode Island. In 1983, he received an appointment to the United States Naval Academy and graduated in 1987 with a B.S. degree in oceanography and physics. Upon commissioning, he attended undergraduate flight training and was winged as a Naval Flight Officer in 1988. His next set of orders sent him to Whidbey Island, Washington, and Fleet Replacement Squadron 128 (VA-128), where he completed Bombardier/Navigator training in 1990 and joined the "Milestones" of VA-196. During his tour with VA-196, he accumulated over 1,000 hours in the A-6 Intruder and flew missions in support of Operation Desert Shield.

In 1993, he was selected for U.S. Naval Test Pilot School and graduated in the summer of 1994 with class 105. As a Flight Test Officer, he was assigned to VX-23 in Patuxent River, Maryland, and worked on various test projects supporting Carrier Aviation and Weapons testing. When the A-6 Intruder was faithfully retired, he transitioned to the F-14 community and served on the staff of CVW-17 as the Air Wing Strike Operations Officer, completing two Mediterranean deployments



from 1997 to 1999. Following a brief training syllabus at VF-101, he reported to the "World Famous Pukin' Dogs" (VF-143) and served as the Safety and Operations Officer.

Upon completion of his department head tour, he was then assigned as the Officer in Charge and Chief Operational Test Director of the VX-9 detachment, Point Mugu, California. This tour was followed by a second tour in Patuxent River, joining NAVAIR as the PMA-241 class desk officer, and principal deputy Program Manager. During this tour, he transitioned to the Aviation Engineering Duty Officer (AEDO) community, was selected as an Acquisition Professional (AP), and received an M.S. degree in systems engineering at Johns Hopkins University.

After leaving NAVAIR, he was assigned as the Naval Aviation Depot Requirements Officer, Fleet Readiness Division (OPNAV N43) in the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations at Washington, DC. This was followed by a tour with the Naval Personnel Command as the Head Detailer for the Aerospace Engineering and Maintenance Communities.

Selected for Major Command in 2008, he proudly served as the Deputy Director and Director of PMR-51, the Navy's Low Observable/Counter Low Observable Technology, Policy and Advanced Project office from December 2008 through August 2012.

Captain Ferrari has been awarded the Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal (four awards), Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (four awards) and the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (three awards), in addition to numerous campaign and unit awards.

# **Director of Research**

r. John A. Montgomery joined the Naval Research Laboratory in 1968 as a research physicist in the Advanced Techniques Branch of the Electronic Warfare Division, where he conducted research on a wide range of Electronic Warfare (EW) topics. In 1980, he was selected to head the Off-Board Countermeasures Branch. In May 1985, he was appointed to the Senior Executive Service and was selected as Superintendent of the Tactical Electronic Warfare Division. He has been responsible for numerous systems that have been developed/approved for operational use by the Navy and other services. He has had great impact through the application of advanced technologies to solve unusual or severe operational deficiencies noted during world crises, most recently in Afghanistan, Iraq, and for Homeland Defense and in the Pacific theater. Dr. Montgomery has accumulated 43 years of civilian service to-date at the Naval Research Laboratory.

Dr. Montgomery received the Department of Defense Distinguished Civilian Service Award in 2001. He was recognized by the Department of the Navy Distinguished Civilian Service Award in 1999 and by the Department of the Navy Meritorious Civilian Service Award in 1986. As a member of the Senior Executive Service, he received the Presidential Rank Award of Distinguished Executive in 1991 and again in



2002, and the Presidential Rank Award of Meritorious Executive in 1988, 1999 and again in 2007. He also received the 1997 Dr. Arthur E. Bisson Prize for Naval Technology Achievement, awarded by the Chief of Naval Research in 1998. Further, he has received the Association of Old Crows (Electronic Defense Association) Joint Services Award in 1993. He was an NRL Edison Scholar, and is a member of Sigma Xi. He served as the U.S. National Leader of The Technical Cooperation Program's multinational Group on Electronic Warfare from 1987 to 2002, and served as its Executive Chairman. In 2006, Dr. Montgomery received the Laboratory Director of the Year award from the Federal Laboratory Consortium for Technology Transfer, and in 2011, he received the Roger W. Jones Award for Executive Leadership from American University's School of Public Affairs.

Dr. Montgomery received his bachelor's of science degree in physics from North Texas State University in 1967 and his master's degree, also in physics, in 1969. He received his PhD in physics from the Catholic University of America in 1982. As Director of Research at the Naval Research Laboratory, Dr. Montgomery oversees research and development programs with expenditures of approximately \$1.2 billion per year.

# **Executive Council**



The Executive Council consists of executive, management, and administrative personnel. Executive Council members include the following:

Commanding Officer, Chairperson

Director of Research

Executive Assistant to the Director of Research

Associate Directors of Research

Chief Staff Officer

Director, Naval Center for Space Technology

Associate Director, Naval Center for Space Technology

Heads of Divisions

Director, Laboratories for Computational Physics and Fluid Dynamics

Director, Center for Bio/Molecular Science and Engineering

Director, Human Resources Office

Public Affairs Officer

Deputy Equal Employment Opportunity Officer

Administrative Resources Manager

Head, Office of Program Administration and Policy Development

Safety Officer

Head, Office of Counsel

Head, Office of Technology Transfer

Head, Management Information Systems Staff

Head, Office of Research Support Services

Representative, Administrative Advisory Council

Director, Institute for Nanoscience

Director, Laboratory for Autonomous Systems Research

# **Research Advisory Committee**



The Research Advisory Committee advises the Commanding Officer and the Director of Research on scientific programs and the administration of the Laboratory. The committee assists in planning the long-range scientific program, coordinating the scientific work, reviewing the budget, accepting or modifying problems, considering personnel actions, and initiating such studies as may be necessary or desirable. The membership consists of the following:

Director of Research, Chairperson Commanding Officer Associate Directors of Research Chief Staff Officer (Observer)

# Chief Staff Officer/Inspector General Code 1002/1000.1



CAPT K. Szczublewski, USN

The Chief Staff Officer serves as the Deputy to the Commanding Officer and acts for the Commanding Officer in his absence. The Command Support Division (Code 1200), the Military Support Division (Code 1400), and the Scientific Development Squadron One (VSX-1) (NAS Patuxent River, MD, Code 1600) report directly to the Chief Staff Officer. When directed, the Laboratory's Inspector General investigates, inspects, and/or inquires into matters that affect the operation and efficiency of NRL. These matters include but are not limited to: effectiveness, efficiency, and economy; management practices; and fraud, waste, and abuse. He serves as principal advisor to the Commanding Officer on all inspection matters and audits and is the principal point of contact and liaison with all agencies outside NRL.

# Public Affairs Officer Code 1030



Mr. R.L. THOMPSON

The Public Affairs Officer (PAO) advises the Commanding Officer and Director of Research on public affairs matters, including external and internal relations and community outreach, and serves as the Commanding Officer's principal assistant in the area of public affairs. To do this, the PAO plans and directs a program of public information dissemination on official NRL activities. The PAO coordinates responses to requests from the news media and the public for unclassified information or materials dealing with the Laboratory, coordinates participation in community relations activities, and directs the internal information programs. The PAO is also responsible for coordinating all actions within the Laboratory that respond to requirements of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA).

# Deputy Equal Employment Opportunity Officer Code 1830



Ms. L.L. HILL

The Deputy Equal Employment Opportunity Officer (DEEOO) is the EEO program manager and the advisor to the Commanding Officer on all EEO matters. The DEEOO manages the discrimination complaint process and directs the Laboratory's affirmative action plans and special emphasis programs (Federal Women's, Hispanic Employment, African American Employment, Asian-Pacific Islanders, American Indian Employment, Individuals with Disabilities, including Disabled Veterans). The DEEOO recruits quality candidates for those areas when underrepresentation exists. Duties also include reviewing, coordinating, and monitoring implementation of EEO policies and developing local guidance, directives, and implementation procedures for the EEO programs.

# Office of Technology Transfer

### Code 1004



Dr. R.C. MANAK

# **Basic Responsibilities**

The Technology Transfer Office (TTO) is responsible for NRL's implementation of the Federal Technology Transfer Act of 1986 (Public Law 99-502). The law requires the transfer of Government innovative technologies to industry for commercialization as products and services for public benefit. TTO negotiates Cooperative Research and Development Agreements (CRADAs) under which NRL investigators collaborate with investigators from industry, academia, state or local governments, or other Federal agencies to develop NRL technologies for government and/or commercial use. It markets NRL's patented inventions, negotiates patent license agreements under which the Navy grants a licensee the right to make, use, and sell NRL inventions (in exchange for receiving licensing fees and a percentage of sales), and enforces licenses to assure diligence in commercialization efforts.

**Personnel:** 6 full-time civilian; 1 SCEP student, 1 STEP student

# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Dr. R.C. Manak Mr. S.P. Marquis Ms. A.M. Horansky-McKinney Dr. J.J. Ohab Mr. C.P. Childs Ms. D.E. Heddings Ms. E.R. Crutchfield	Head, Technology Transfer Sr. Licensing Associate Sr. Licensing Associate Social Media Marketing Associate Licensing Associate Management Analyst Administrative Assistant (SCEP)	1004 1004 1004 1004 1004 1004 1004
Ms. E. Joyce	Administrative Assistant (STEP)	1004

Point of contact: Ms. D.E. Heddings, Code 1004, (202) 767-7229

# Office of Program Administration and Policy Development

### Code 1006



Ms. M.E. DIXON

# **Basic Responsibilities**

The Office of Program Administration and Policy Development provides managerial, technical, and administrative support to the Director of Research (DOR) in such areas as program and policy development, intra-Navy and inter-Service Science and Technology (S&T) program coordination; liaison with other Navy, DoD, and government activities on matters of mutual concern; and support to the Executive Directorate in planning and directing NRL's S&T (6.1, 6.2) program. Specific functions include: monitoring and providing background information on technical and policy matters that come under the purview of the DOR; representing NRL, ONR, and/or the Navy on tri-Service or DoD-wide coordination matters; performing special studies or chairing ad hoc study groups regarding program decisions or policy positions; performing special studies involving major NRL programs and resource issues; providing administrative support in the areas of personnel, budget, facilities, equipment, and security; providing executive management information and analyses for various aspects of the S&T program effort; coordinating VIP visits to NRL; managing the NRL directives system; administering the NRL response to Congressional requests; maintaining the NRL R&D achievements file; developing the S&T guidance for monitoring and reporting the NRL S&T program; administering NRL's various postdoctoral fellowship programs; and managing the Facility Modernization Program.

Personnel: 14 full-time civilian

### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Ms. M.E. Dixon	Head, Office of Program Administration and	
	Policy Development	1006
Ms. L.S. Herrin	Head, Program Administration Staff	1006.1
Ms. D.L. Gibson	VIP Coordinator/Protocol Officer	1006.2
Vacant	Head, Executive Management & Policy Development	
	Staff	1006.3
Ms. M.E. Barton	Directives	1006.31
Ms. M.E. Dixon*	Head, NRL Facilities Staff	1006.4
Vacant	Special Assistant	1006.6

Point of contact: Ms. D.L. Gibson, Code 1006.2, (202) 767-3370

<sup>\*</sup>Acting

# Office of Counsel

### Code 1008



Mr. J.N. McCutcheon

# **Basic Responsibilities**

The Office of Counsel is responsible for providing legal services to NRL's management in all areas of general, administrative, intellectual property, and technology transfer law. The Office reviews all procurement-related actions; reviews NRL scientific papers prior to publication; prepares patent applications and prosecutes the applications through the Patent and Trademark Office; defends against contract protests, other contract litigation, and personnel cases; and advises on other legal matters relating to technology transfer, personnel, fiscal, and environmental law.

NRL Counsel also serves as legal advisor to the Commanding Officer and Director of Research.

Personnel: 30 full-time civilian

# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Mr. J.N. McCutcheon Mr. C.G. Steenbuck	Head, Office of Counsel Associate Counsel/General Law	1008 1008.1
Ms. A.L. Ressing	Associate Counsel/Intellectual Property	1008.2
Mr. A.R. Beede	Associate Counsel/SSC Legal Matters	1008.3

Point of contact: Ms. K.Y. Flowers, Code 1008.1, (202) 767-7606

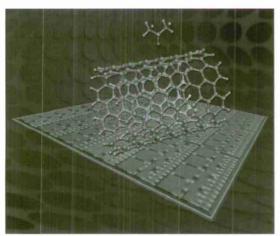
# **Institute for Nanoscience**

# Code 1100 Staff Activity Areas

•Interdisciplinary nanoscience that enables:
Low-power, high-speed electronics
Lightweight, high-strength materials
Highly sensitive molecular sensors
Efficient energy generation and storage



NRL researchers working in the Class 100 clean room in the Institute for Nanoscience.



Wafer of carbon nanotube chemical sensors fabricated in the Institute for Nanoscience clean room.



Transmission electron microscope located in one of the Institute for Nanoscience's environmentally controlled laboratories.





Dr. E.S. Snow

# **Basic Responsibilities**

The Institute for Nanoscience has two primary responsibilities: to administer an interdisciplinary research program in nanoscience and to provide NRL scientists with high-quality laboratory space and state-of-the-art nanofabrication facilities.

The mission of the research program is to conduct highly innovative, interdisciplinary research at the intersections of the fields of materials, electronics, and biology in the nanometer size domain. The Institute exploits the broad multidisciplinary character of NRL to bring together scientists and engineers with disparate training and backgrounds to attack common goals at the intersection of their respective fields at this length scale. The Institute's S&T programs provide the Navy and DoD with scientific leadership in this complex, emerging area and help to identify opportunities for advances in future defense technology.

The Institute also operates a nanoscience research building containing nanofabrication facilities and environmentally controlled measurement laboratories. The central core of the building, a 5000 sq ft Class 100 clean room, has been outfitted with the newest tools to permit nanofabrication, measurement, and testing of devices. In addition to the clean room facility, the building also contains 5000 square feet of controlled-environment laboratory space, which is available to NRL researchers whose experiments are sufficiently demanding to require this space. There are 12 of these laboratories within the building. They provide shielding from electromagnetic interference, and very low floor vibration and acoustic levels. Eight of the laboratories control the temperature to within  $\pm$  0.5 °C and four to within  $\pm$  0.1 °C.

Personnel: 3.5 full-time civilian

### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Dr. E.S. Snow <sup>+</sup> Ms. C.A. Habron Mr. D.R. St. Amand Mr. D.W. Zapotok	Director, Institute for Nanoscience Position Assistant Facilities Manager Facilities Manager	1100 1100 1100 1100

Point of Contact: Ms. C.A. Habron, Code 1100, (202) 767-1804

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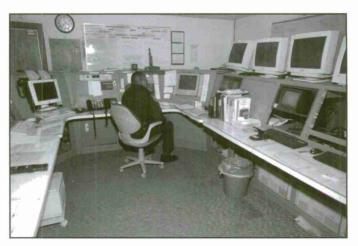
# **Command Support Division**

# Code 1200 Staff Activity Areas

• Security



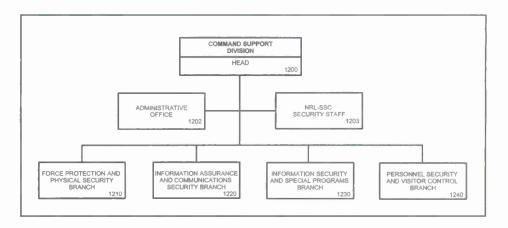
Incoming visitor reception area



Security monitoring



Mr. T. Brewer



# **Basic Responsibilities**

The Division Head is the NRL Security Manager. The primary areas of security are: information assurance, information security, personnel security, industrial security, classification management, public release, foreign disclosure, physical security, force protection, antiterrorism, operations security, special security programs, and communications security. Provides security education across all security disciplines. Conducts local inspections for compliance with current internal and external policies. Provides advice and guidance to senior NRL management concerning the security posture of the Command. Provides administrative budget support to the Military Support Division (Code 1400) and Scientific Development Squadron One (VXS-1, Code 1600).

Personnel: 50 full-time civilian

# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Mr. T. Brewer	Head, Command Support Division	1200
Ms. P.A. Dixon	Administrative Officer	1202
Mr. K.A. Wheelock	Head, Stennis Space Center Security Staff	1203
Mr. C.D. Dodson	Head, Force Protection and Physical Security Branch	1210
Mr. M.R. Perkins	Head, Information Assurance and	
	Communications Security Branch	1220
Ms. V.L. Cicala	Head, Information Security and Special Programs	
	Branch	1230
Ms. R.A. Proctor	Head, Personnel Security and Visitor Control Branch	1240

Point of contact: Ms. P.A. Dixon, Code 1202, (202) 767-6987

# **Military Support Division**

# Code 1400 **Staff Activity Areas**

- Operations Administrative Operations



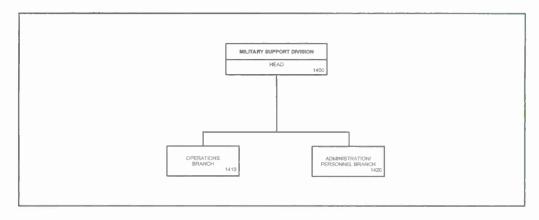
P-3 airborne research platform



Administration



LCDR B. CHURGAI, USN\*



The Military Support Division provides military operational and administrative services to NRL.

The Operations Branch assists NRL research directorates in planning and executing project flight missions, develops deployment schedules and military operational and training objectives, and coordinates the Research Reserve Program within NRL.

The Military Administration Branch is responsible for the coordination and efficient functioning of all military administrative operations for NRL (including site detachments). These duties specifically include: personnel actions, maintenance of personnel records, performance evaluations, awards and training; advising the Chief Staff Officer on manpower matters and organization issues; and preparing and administering the military operational budget.

**Personnel:** 1 full-time civilian; 7 military

# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
LCDR B. Churgai, USN*	Head, Military Support Division	1400
LT B. Herring, USN	Project Officer	1410
LT R. Andrade, USN	Project Officer	1410
LT C. Cannon, USN	Project Officer	1410
LT C. Aandahl, USN	Administrative Officer	1420

Point of contact: LT C. Aandahl, USN, Code 1420, (202) 767-7632

<sup>\*</sup>Acting

# Scientific Development Squadron ONE (VXS-1)

# Code 1600 Staff Activity Areas

- Operations
- Administrative Operations
- Aircraft Maintenance
- Safety/NATOPS



VXS-1 maintains two RC-12 aircraft dedicated to airborne research. They are smaller, more cost-efficient alternatives to the P-3 Orion. Each aircraft is outfitted with a research electrical load center and has a roll-on roll-off capability which enables it to be equipped with project stations. The RC-12s can support a broad spectrum of project configurations.



P-3 airborne research platform



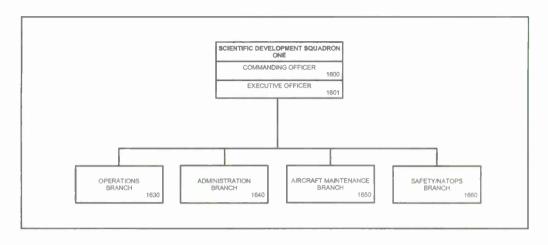
Aircraft maintenance



Scientific Development Squadron One hangar



CDR S. WRIGHT, USN



The Scientific Development Squadron ONE (VXS-1) located at NAS Patuxent River, Maryland, operates and maintains five uniquely configured P-3 Orion aircraft and two C-12 aircraft. The men and women of the squadron provide the Naval Research Laboratory with airborne research platforms, conducting flights worldwide in support of a broad spectrum of projects and experiments. These include magnetic variation mapping, hydroacoustic research, bathymetry, electronic countermeasures, gravity mapping, and radar research. The squadron annually logs approximately 1000 flight hours, and in its 47 years, Scientific Development Squadron ONE (VXS-1) has amassed 69,000 hours of mishap-free flying.

**Personnel:** 3 full-time civilian; 70 military; 9 full-time contractors

# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
CDR S. Wright, USN	Commanding Officer, VXS-1	1600
CDR J. Plaisance, USN	Executive Officer	1601
ATCS R. Klein, USN	Senior Enlisted Advisor	1600.2
YN1 J. Pell, USN	Executive Secretary	1600.4
LT N. Haseman, USN	Operations Officer	1630
LT Q. Bowles, USN	Administrative Officer/Public Affairs Officer	1640
LT D. Murph, USN	Maintenance Officer	1650
CWO2 H. Gerschweiler, USN	Assistant Maintenance Officer	1650.1
ADCS N. Ersbo, USN	Maintenance/Material Control Officer	1650.2
LT J. Sweger, USN	Safety/NATOPS Officer	1660

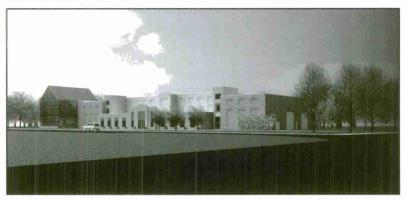
Point of contact: YN1 J. Pell, USN, Code 1600.4, (301) 342-3526; DSN 342-3526

# **Laboratory for Autonomous Systems Research**

# Code 1700 Staff Activity Areas

Multidisciplinary research, development, and integration in autonomous systems, including:

- Software for intelligent autonomy
- Novel human-systems interaction technology
- Mobility and platforms
- Sensor systems
- Power and energy systems
- Networking and communications
- Trust and assurance



The Laboratory for Autonomous Systems Research integrates S&T components into research prototype systems.



Because autonomous systems are not just vehicles, the building contains a number of human-system interaction labs to develop automated decision support tools and address critical communications and network issues.



The Reconfigurable High Bay allows operation of small air vehicles as well as ground vehicles.



Mr. A.C. SCHULTZ

# Code 1700

# **Basic Responsibilities**

The Laboratory for Autonomous Systems Research provides specialized facilities to support highly innovative, interdisciplinary research in autonomous systems, including software for intelligent autonomy, sensor systems, power and energy systems, human-systems interaction, networking and communications, and platforms and mobility. The Laboratory capitalizes on the broad multidisciplinary character of NRL, bringing together scientists and engineers with disparate training and backgrounds to advance the state of the art in autonomous systems at the intersection of their respective fields. The Laboratory provides unique facilities and simulated environments (littoral, desert, tropical) and instrumented reconfigurable high bay spaces to support integration of science and technology components into research prototype systems. The objective of the laboratory is to enable Naval and DoD scientific leadership in this complex, emerging area and to identify opportunities for advances in future defense technology.

The facility includes a Reconfigurable Prototyping High Bay that allows real-time, accurate tracking of many entities (vehicles and humans) for experimental ground truth. Small UAVs and ground vehicles can simultaneously operate within the large high bay, which is viewable from four adjacent Human-System Interaction labs. The Tropical High Bay emulates a rainforest with appropriate terrain and plants, and includes flowing water features. An outdoor Highland Forest provides an additional forest environment, and also includes interesting water and terrain features. The Desert High Bay provides a simulated desert environment featuring as sand pit, natural rock walls, and appropriate lighting and wind. The Littoral High Bay provides a simulated coastal environment featuring sediment tanks, large pool with a sloping floor, and small flow tanks. In addition to the environmental high bays, the facility also has a Power and Energy Laboratory, a Sensor Laboratory, and a mechanical and electrical shop.

The facility is open to use by all NRL scientists contributing to the science and technology of autonomous systems and will host many NRL scientists as needed.

Personnel: 1.5 full-time civilian

# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Mr. A.C. Schultz <sup>+</sup>	Director, Laboratory for Autonomous Systems	
	Research	1700
Mr. D.R. King	Facilities Manager	1700

Point of contact: Mr. A.C. Schultz, Code 1700, (202) 767-2684

<sup>\*</sup>Additional Duty

# **Human Resources Office**

# Code 1800 Staff Activity Areas

- Personnel Operations (Staffing and Classification)
- Employee Relations
- Employee Development
- Equal Employment Opportunity and Manpower
- Compensation, Reports, and Demonstration Project
- Information Technology and Reports



Diversity and Employee Recognition Branch



Personnel Operations Branch



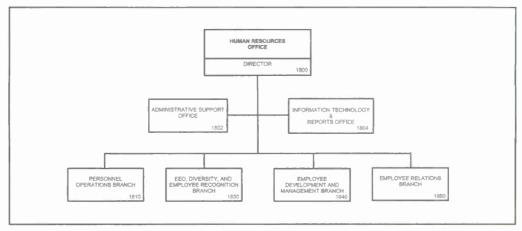
Employee Relations Branch



Employee Development and Management Branch



Ms. C.L. Downing\*



The Human Resources Office (HRO) provides civilian personnel, manpower, and Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) services to the Naval Research Laboratory. The Human Resources Program provides the full range of operating civilian personnel management in the staffing and placement, position classification, employee relations, labor relations, employee development, EEO functional areas, manpower management, and morale, welfare, and recreation programs.

The HRO at NRL's main site in Washington, DC, services approximately 2,500 employees and provides a centralized capability to perform managerial, service, and advisory functions in support of field office operations. These include issuing policy and procedural directives; developing, designing, and maintaining automated systems; and monitoring and evaluating product effectiveness to develop and maintain efficient, cost-effective, service-oriented methods.

Personnel: 30 full-time civilian

# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Ms. C.L. Downing* Ms. R.A. Ward Ms. P.L. Scholten Ms. M.V. Kisamore Ms. L.L. Hill Ms. S.M. Cummings	Director, Human Resources Office Administrative Officer Head, Information Technology and Reports Office Head, Personnel Operations Branch Head, EEO, Diversity, and Employee Recognition Branch Head, Employee Development and Management Branch	1800 1802 1804 1810 1830 1840
Ms. L.J. Owens	Head, Employee Relations Branch	1850

Point of contact: Ms. R.A. Ward, Code 1802, (202) 404-2797

<sup>\*</sup>Acting

# Ruth H. Hooker Research Library





Ms. S.M. RYDER

# **Basic Responsibilities**

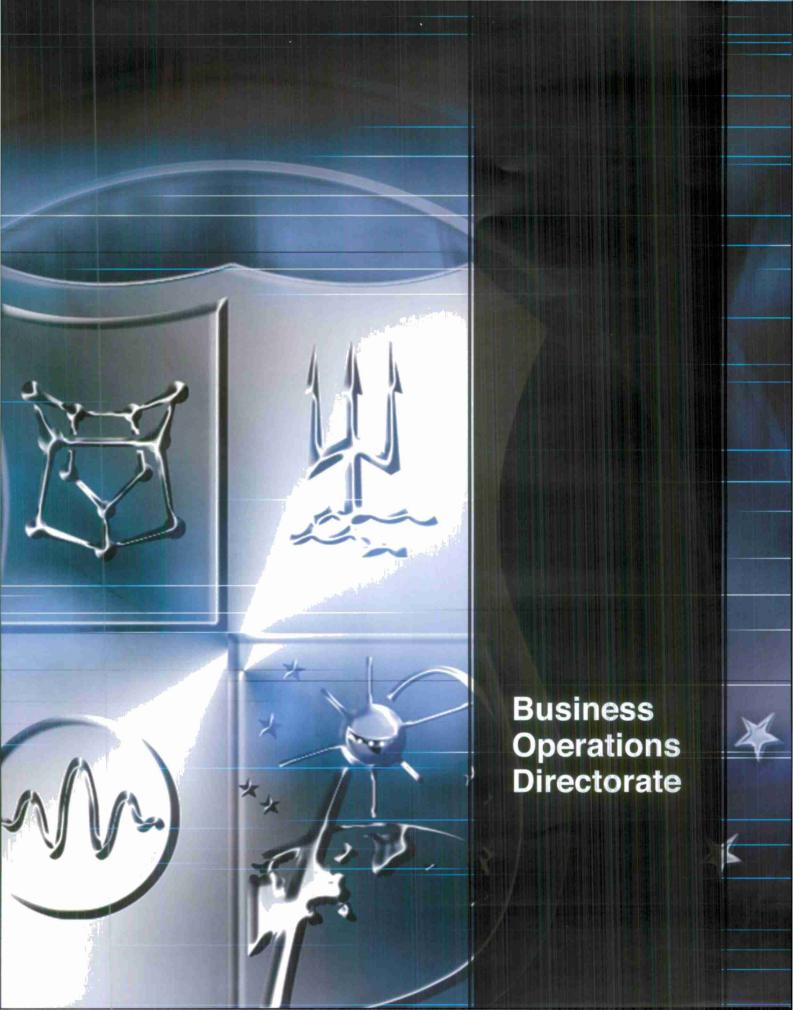
NRL's Ruth H. Hooker Research Library supports NRL and ONR scientists in conducting their research by making a comprehensive collection of the most relevant scholarly information available and useable; by providing direct reference and research support; by capturing and organizing the NRL research portfolio; and by creating, customizing, and deploying a state-of-the-art digital library. Traditional library resources include extensive technical report, book, and journal collections dating back to the 1800s housed within a centrally located research facility that is staffed by subject specialists and information professionals. The collections include 44,000 books; 80,000 digital books; 80,000 bound historical journal volumes; more than 3,500 current journal subscriptions; and approximately 2 million technical reports in paper, microfiche, or digital format (classified and unclassified). Research Library staff members provide advanced information consulting; literature searches against all major online databases including classified databases; circulation of materials from the collection including classified literature up to the Secret level; and retrieval of articles, reports, proceedings, or documents through our interlibrary loan and document delivery network. The digital library provides desktop access to thousands of journals, books, proceedings, reports, databases, and reference sources.

**Personnel:** 21 full-time civilian

# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Ms. S.M. Ryder	Chief Librarian	5596
Ms. M.E. Dowdell	Head, Research Reports and Bibliography	5596.3
Mr. J.C. Haesloop	Library IT Director	5596.2

**Point of contact:** Ms. S.M. Ryder, Code 5596, (202) 767-2357



# BUSINESS OPERATIONS DIRECTORATE

Code 3000

The Business Operations Directorate provides executive management, policy development, and program administration for business programs needed to support the activities of the scientific directorates. This support is in the areas of financial management, supply management, technical information services, contracting, research and development services, and management information systems support.

# Associate Director of Research for Business Operations



r. D.K. Therning was born in Modesto, California. He graduated from Washington State University with a bachelor's degree in finance in 1983 and earned a master's degree in business administration from George Mason University in 1993. Mr. Therning has accumulated extensive experience in the financial business management of research, development, test, and evaluation (RDT&E) activities within the Department of the Navy (DON) beginning at the Naval Weapons Center, China Lake, California, where he served as a budget analyst in the Public Works Department and then in the Weapons Department. In 1984, he became the Financial Management Advisor to the Ordnance Systems Department. In 1985, under the auspices of

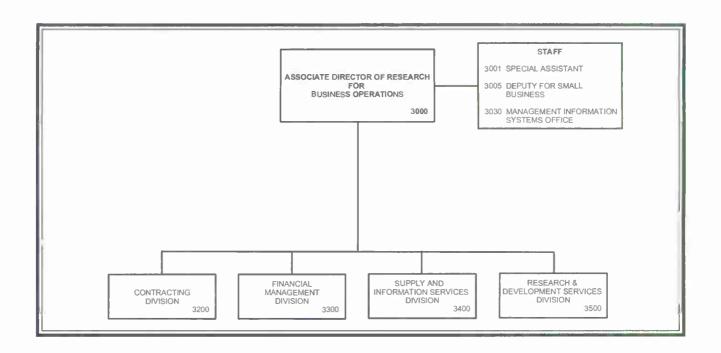
the Naval Scientist Training and Exchange Program, he was selected for a one-year assignment in the Office of the Director of Naval Laboratories (DNL), Washington, DC. He remained on the DNL staff as a budget analyst until 1987, when he was appointed Budget Officer of the DNL's seven Navy Industrial Fund R&D laboratories.

As the DON reorganized the R&D laboratories and T&E activities, Mr. Therning oversaw the financial reorganization of the DNL labs with other activities into the Naval warfare centers. Upon the disestablishment of DNL, Mr. Therning remained in the Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command as the Director of the Defense Business Operations Fund (DBOF) Resources Management Division, with collateral duty as the Financial Manager of the Naval Command, Control, and Ocean Surveillance Center (NCCOSC). During this time, he managed the conversion of nine appropriated fund engineering activities to DBOF and the financial consolidation of these activities with NCCOSC.

In 1995, Mr. Therning served as Head of the Revolving Funds Branch of the Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Financial Management and Controller), where he was responsible for the budget formulation and execution processes of all DON DBOF activities, which includes the RDT&E activities, shipyards, aviation depots, ordnance centers, and supply centers.

Mr. Therning was appointed Head, Financial Management Division/Comptroller of NRL in July 1996. In October 1996, in addition to leading the Financial Management Division, he assumed responsibilities for the Management Information Systems office. In January 1999, as an additional duty to his role as Comptroller, Mr. Therning was appointed to the newly established position of Deputy Associate Director of Research for Business Operations to assist in the management and administration of the Business Operations Directorate.

Mr. Therning was Acting Associate Director of Research for Business Operations from April 1999 until March 2000, when he was appointed the Associate Director of Research for Business Operations.



# **Key Personnel**

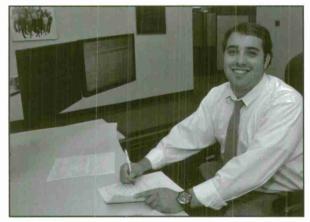
Name	Title	Code
Mr. D.K. Therning	Associate Director of Research for Business Operations	3000
Ms. M.Q. Loften	Special Assistant	3001
Ms. S. Wilson	Deputy for Small Business	3005
Ms. P.W. Lowery	Head, Management Information Systems Office	3030
Ms. R.M. Brede	Head, Contracting Division	3200
Ms. H.L. Finch	Head, Financial Management Division	3300
Ms. C.A. Hartman	Head, Supply and Information Services Division	3400
Mr. T.K. Hull, Jr.	Director, Research and Development Services Division	3500

Point of contact: Ms. D.M. Thomas, Code 3000A, (202) 404-7461

# **Contracting Division**

# Code 3200 Staff Activity Areas

- Advance Acquisition Planning
- Acquisition Strategies
- Acquisition Training
- Contract Negotiations
- Contractual Execution
- Contract Administration
- Acquisition Policy Interpretation and Implementation



Customers are greeted at the receptionist station.



Contracting personnel attend training session.



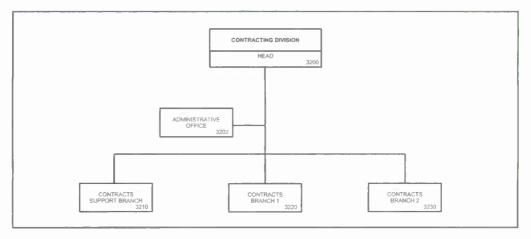
Procurement Technician reviews contract file.



Specialist and Division Head discuss small business programs.



Ms. R.M. Brede



The Contracting Division is responsible for the acquisition of major research and development materials, services, and facilities where the value is in excess of \$100,000. It also maintains liaison with the ONR Procurement Directorate on procurement matters involving NRL. Specific functions include: providing consultant and advisory services to NRL division personnel on acquisition strategy, contractual adequacy of specifications, and potential sources; reviewing procurement requests for accuracy and completeness; initiating and processing solicitations for procurement; awarding contracts; performing contract administration and post-award monitoring of contract terms and conditions, delivery, contract changes, patents, etc., and taking corrective actions as required; providing acquisition-related training to division personnel; and interpreting and implementing acquisition-related Federal, Department of Defense, and Navy regulations.

Personnel: 30 full-time civilian

# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Ms. R.M. Brede Ms. K.P. Best Mr. W.A. McGriff Ms. S. Wilson* Ms. C.A. Parnell Ms. C.A. Parnell*	Head, Contracting Division Administrative Officer Contracts Support Branch Head, Contracts Branch 1 Head, Contracts Branch 2 Head, Contracts Section, SSC	3200 3202 3210 3220 3230 3235

Point of contact: Ms. K.P. Best, Code 3202, (202) 767-3749

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# **Financial Management Division**

# Code 3300 Staff Activity Areas

- Budget
- Reports and Statistics
- Accounting
- Travel Services
- Payroll Liaison



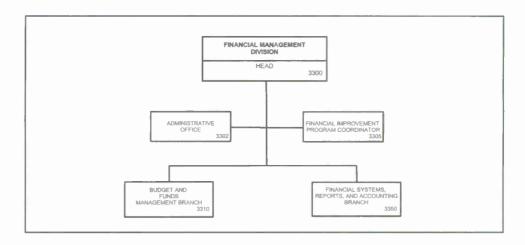
The Budget Branch prepares various financial analyses, reports, and studies in response to external data calls and/or management requests.



The Financial Systems, Reports, and Accounting Branch ensures that NRL's financial system satisfies user requirements and is in compliance with applicable rules and regulations, maintains official accounting records, and coordinates efforts with DFAS to complete payment transactions related to NRL business.



Ms. H.L. FINCH



The Financial Management Division (FMD) develops, coordinates, and maintains an integrated system of financial management that provides the Comptroller, Commanding Officer, Director of Research, and other officials of NRL the information and support needed to fulfill the financial and resource management aspects of their responsibilities. FMD translates the NRL program requirements into the financial plan, formulates the NRL budget, monitors and evaluates performance with the budget plan, and provides recommendations and advice to NRL management for corrective actions or strategic program adjustments. FMD maintains the accounting records of NRL's financial and related resources transactions and prepares reports, financial statements, and other documents in support of NRL management needs and or to comply with external reporting requirements. FMD provides financial management guidance, policies, advice, and documented procedures to ensure that NRL operates in compliance with Navy and DoD regulations and with economy and efficiency. FMD coordinates efforts with the Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) to complete payment transactions related to NRL business (e.g., the payment of NRL personnel for payroll and travel expenses and the payment to NRL's contractors and vendors for goods and services purchased by NRL). FMD coordinates Financial Improvement Program efforts to ensure the NRL is ready for an independent financial audit. Additionally, FMD develops, operates, and maintains automated business and management information systems supporting the lab-wide administrative and business processes, including financial management, procurement and contracting, stores and inventory, asset management, human resources, facilities, and security.

Personnel: 68 full-time civilian

# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Ms. H.L. Finch	Head, Financial Management Division	3300
Ms. N.E. Hosmer	Administrative Officer	3302
Ms. E. Mitchell	Financial Improvement and Audit Readiness Coordinator	3305
Mr. J.O. Zamorano	Head, Budget and Funds Management Branch	3310
Ms. L. Smith	Head, Funding Section	3311
Ms. A.M. Parker	Head, Internal Budget Section	3312
Mr. W. Wong	Head, Corporate Budget Section	3313
Ms. S.L. Weber	Head, Financial Systems, Reports, and Accounting Branch	3350
Ms. V.B. Javins	Head, Cost Accounting Section	3351
Ms. V.B. Javins	Cost and Analysis Unit	3351.1
Ms. V.A. Reid	Head, Vendor Pay Unit	3351.2
Ms. L.D. Bowie	Head, Financial Services Section	3352
Ms. T.C. Napier	Head, Payroll Services Unit	3352.1
Ms. D.E. Thomas	Head, Travel Services Unit	3352.2
Ms. S.V. Greenwell	Head, Accounting Systems and Reports Section	3353
Ms. R.S. Borom	Head, Asset Management and Accounting Section	3354

Point of contact: Ms. N.E. Hosmer, Code 3302, (202) 767-2950

# **Supply and Information Services Division**

# Code 3400 Staff Activity Areas

- Purchasing
- Technical Information Services
- Customer Support and Program Management
- Material Control
- Administrative Services
- Automated Inventory Management System
- Disposal and Storage



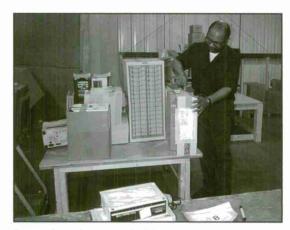
Woodworkers prepare boxes for shipping.



Mail clerks sort mail by directorate and file into bins by organizational codes. Mail is bundled and delivered once a day.



Customers and employee at the Supply store.



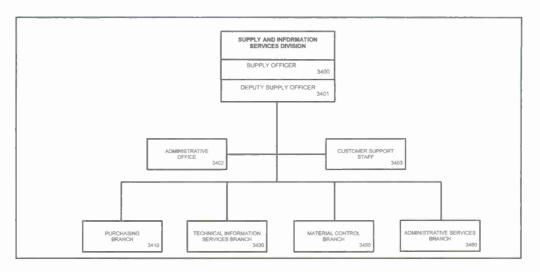
Disposal and Storage in Building 49.



The Publications staff discusses design ideas for a new publication.



Ms. C.A. HARTMAN



The Supply and Information Services Division provides the Laboratory and its field activities with contracting, supply management, logistics, administrative, and technical information services. Specific functions include: procuring required equipment, material, and services; receiving, inspecting, storing, and delivering material and equipment; packing, shipping, and traffic management; surveying and disposing of excess and unusable property; operating various supply issue stores and performing stock inventories; providing technical and counseling services for the research directorates in the development of specifications for a complete procurement package; and obtaining and providing guidance in the performance stages of contractual services. Services also include publications, visual information, exhibits, photography, editing, and mailroom services and correspondence management.

Personnel: 102 full-time civilian

# **Key Personnel**

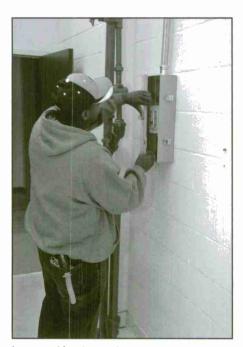
Name	Title	Code
Ms. C.A. Hartman Mr. B.W. Belcastro Ms. A.M. Olson	Supply Officer Deputy Supply Officer Administrative Officer	3400 3401 3402
Ms. D.M. Grimes	Head, Customer Support Staff	3403
Ms. T.M. Thomas	Head, Purchasing Branch	3410
Ms. K.K. Parrish	Head, Technical Information Services Branch	3430
Mr. N.W. Myers	Head, Material Control Branch	3450
Vacant	Head, Administrative Services Branch	3460

Point of contact: Ms. A. Olson, Code 3402, (202) 404-1701

# **Research and Development Services Division**

# Code 3500 Staff Activity Areas

- Technical/Support Services
- Production Control
- Shop Services
- Chesapeake Bay Section
- Customer Liaison
- Safety
- Occupational, Safety and Health/Industrial Hygiene
- Explosives Safety
- Health Physics
- Environmental
- Administrative Office
- Telephones
- Facilities Planning and Operations



Interstitial hardening furnace



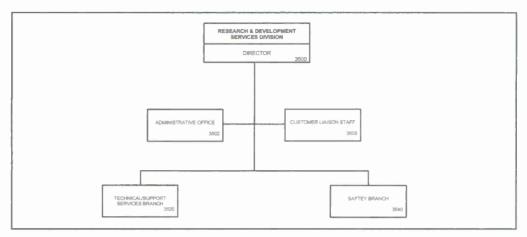
Safety Office – processing procurement requests for safety equipment



Service Desk – processing service calls



Mr. T.K. HULL, Jr.



The Research and Development Services Division is responsible for the physical plant of the Naval Research Laboratory and subordinate field sites. The responsibilities include military construction, engineering, and coordination of construction; facility support services, planning, maintenance/repair/operation of all infrastructure systems; transportation; and occupational safety, health and industrial hygiene, and environmental safety.

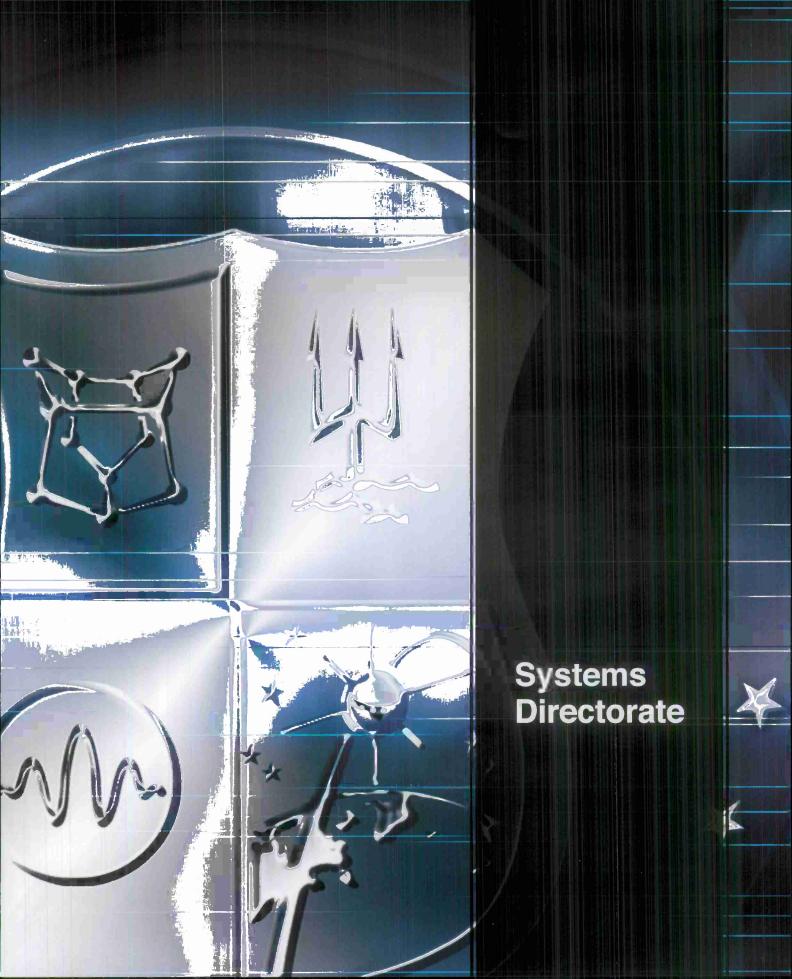
The Division provides engineering and technical assistance to research divisions in the installation and operation of critical equipment in support of the research mission.

Personnel: 141 full-time civilian

# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
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Mr. T.K. Hull, Jr.	Director, Research and Development Services Division	3500
Ms. D.M. Quinn	Administrative Officer	3502
Mr. R.A. Dambrosio, Jr.	Customer Liaison	3505
Mr. S.Y. Chan	Head, Technical/Support Services Branch	3520
Mr. S.B. Daulat	Head, Engineering Section	3521
Mr. H.W. Rolfs	Head, Chesapeake Bay Section	3522
Mr. J.E. Headley	Head, Shop Services Section	3523
Mr. J.M. Schultz	Head, Production Control Section	3524
Mr. T. Miller	Head, Facilities, Planning and Operations Section	3525
Mr. K.J. Pawlovich	Head, Safety Branch	3540
Ms. S.A. Stewart	Occupational Safety and Health/Industrial Hygiene Section	3541
Ms. K.A. Edwards	Explosives Safety	3542
Ms. D.L. Cummings	Health Physics Section	3544
Mr. D. Smith	Environmental Section	3546
Ms. L. Jeffrieshunter	Environmental Response Unit	3546.1

Point of contact: Ms. D.M. Quinn, Code 3502, (202) 404-4312



# SYSTEMS DIRECTORATE

### Code 5000

The Systems Directorate applies the tools of basic research, concept exploration, and engineering development to expand operational capabilities and to provide materiel support to Fleet and Marine Corps missions. Emphasis is on technology, devices, systems, and know-how to acquire and move warfighting information and to deny these capabilities to the enemy. Current activities include:

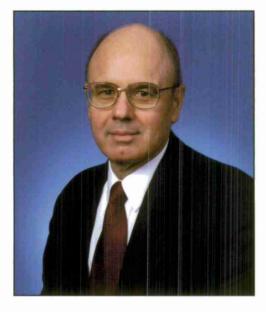
- New and improved radar systems to detect and identify ever smaller targets in the cluttered littoral environment;
- Optical sensors and related materials to extract elusive objects in complex scenes when both processing time and communications bandwidth are limited;
- Unique optics-based sensors for detection of biochemical warfare agents and pollutants, for monitoring structures, and for alternative sensors;
- Advanced electronic support measures techniques for signal detection and identification;
- Electronic warfare systems, techniques, and devices including quick-reaction capabilities;
- Innovative concepts and designs for reduced observables;
- Techniques and devices to disable and/or confuse enemy sensors and information systems;

- Small "intelligent"/autonomous land, sea, or air vehicles to carry sensors, communications relays, or jammers; and
- High performance/high assurance computers with right-the-first-time software and known security characteristics despite commercial off-the-shelf components and connections to public communications media.

Many of these efforts extend from investigations at the frontiers of science to the support of deployed systems in the field, which themselves provide direct feedback and inspiration for applied research and product improvement and/or for quests for new knowledge to expand the available alternatives.

In addition to its wide-ranging multidisciplinary research program, the Directorate provides support to the corporate laboratory in shared resources for high performance computing and networking, technical information collection and distribution, and in coordination of Laboratory-wide efforts in signature technology, countersignature technology, Theater Missile Defense, and the Naval Science Assistance Program.

# Associate Director of Research for Systems

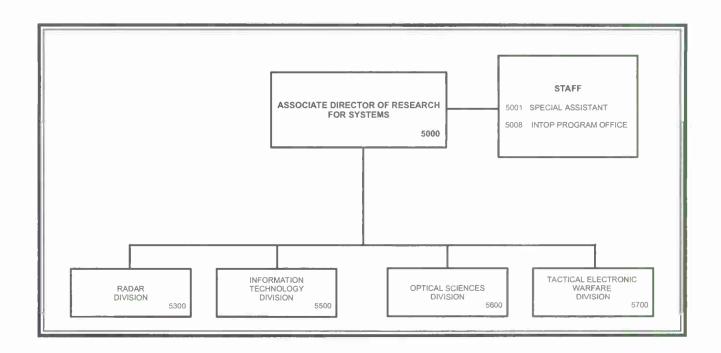


**D**r. G.M. Borsuk is the Associate Director of Research for Systems at the Naval Research Laboratory (NRL) in Washington, DC. In this position he provides executive direction and leadership to four major NRL research divisions that conduct a broad multidisciplinary program of scientific research and advanced technological development in the areas of optics, electromagnetics, information technology, and radar. He is responsible for the conduct and effectiveness of research programs conducted within these divisions and for the overall administration of activities throughout the Systems Directorate. He is also the Focus Area Coordina-

tor for all NRL base programs in electronics science and technology. Prior to this appointment, Dr. Borsuk served for 23 years as the Superintendent of the Electronics Science and Technology Division at NRL where he was responsible for the in-house execution of a multidisciplinary program of basic and applied research in electronic materials and structures, solid state devices, vacuum electronics, and circuits. Dr. Borsuk also serves as the Technical Chair of the DDR&E's Electronic Warfare Technology Task Force (EWTTF). He was the Navy Deputy Program Manager and Technical Director for the now completed DARPA/Tri-Service MIMIC and MAFET Programs. He was the Department of Defense (DoD) technical representative for Electronics to the Wassenaar Arrangement dealing with export control. He has also served as the DoD representative to the President's National Science and Technology Council's Electronic Materials Working Group.

Dr. Borsuk joined the ITT Electro-Physics Laboratory in Columbia, Maryland, as a staff physicist in 1973, where he worked on the application of charge-coupled devices (CCDs) for imaging and signal processing. In 1976 he joined the Westinghouse Advanced Technology Laboratory in Baltimore, Maryland, developing advanced silicon VLSI integrated circuits and performing device physics research. He performed original work in the design and fabrication of CCDs for signal processing and photodetectors for use with acousto-optic signal processors. He headed the Westinghouse VHSIC effort in advanced sub-micron VLSI device technology. Dr. Borsuk was department manager of Solid State Sciences at the Advanced Technology Laboratory when he left Westinghouse in 1983 to join the Naval Research Laboratory as the Superintendent of the Electronics Science and Technology Division.

Dr. Borsuk received a Ph.D. in physics from Georgetown University in Washington, DC, in 1973. He is a Fellow of the IEEE, a member of the American Physical Society, a member of the AVS, and is a member of Sigma Xi. He has 37 technical publications, four patents, and eleven invention disclosures. He is the recipient of four Presidential Rank Senior Executive Awards, the Distinguished, the most recent awarded in 2010. He is also the recipient of the IEEE Frederik Philips Award, the IEEE Harry Diamond Memorial Award, the IEEE Millennium Medal, and an IR-100 Award for his work on high-speed CCDs. Dr. Borsuk also served on the editorial board of the IEEE Proceedings.



# **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Dr. G.M. Borsuk	Associate Director of Research for Systems	5000 5001
Ms. B.L. Murphy Dr. M. White	Special Assistant Special Consultant	5007
Mr. G.C. Tavik Dr. B.G. Danly	Head, InTop Program Office Superintendent, Radar Division	5008 5300
Dr. J.D. McLean Dr. R.G. Driggers	Superintendent, Information Technology Division Superintendent, Optical Sciences Division	5500 5600
Dr. F.J. Klemm	Superintendent, Tactical Electronic Warfare Division	5700

Point of contact: Ms. S. Hile, Code 5000A, (202) 767-3324

# **Radar Division**

# Code 5300 Staff Activity Areas

AEGIS coordination Marine Corps/Air Force coordination Maritime Domain Awareness Multifunction RF systems High-power millimeter-wave radar

# Research Activity Areas

# **Radar Analysis**

Target signature prediction
Electromagnetics and antennas
Airborne early-warning radar (AEW)
Inverse synthetic aperture radar (ISAR)
Sea clutter modeling
Periscope detection
Wideband array simulation and fabrication

# **Advanced Radar Systems**

High-frequency over-the-horizon radar Signal analysis Real-time signal processing and equipment Computer-aided engineering (CAE) Array architecture optimization FPGA-based digital processing Future identification technology

Wavelength scaled array: an ultrawideband array concept providing constant beamwidth across 8:1 bandwidth; designed by NRL-developed Domain Decomposition Algorithm.

# **Surveillance Technology**

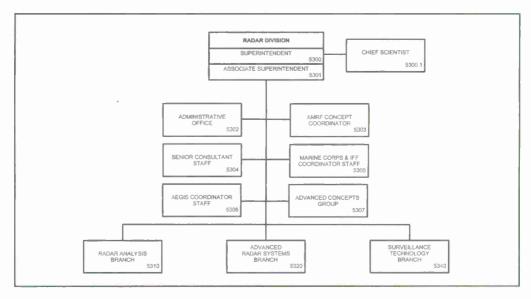
Shipboard surveillance radar
Ship self-defense
Electronic counter-countermeasures and electronic protection (EP)
Target signature recognition
Digital T/R modules
Asymmetric and expeditionary warfare spectrum management
Ultrawideband technology
Dynamic waveform diversity
Multistatic radar network
Information extraction
Ballistic missile defense
Mine detection



The Advanced Multifunction RF Concept (AMRFC) test bed is a proof-of-principle demonstration system capable of simultaneously transmitting and receiving multiple beams from common transmit and receive array antennas for radar, electronic warfare, and communications.



Dr. B.G. DANLY



The Radar Division conducts research on basic physical phenomena of importance to radar and related sensors, investigates new engineering techniques applicable to radar, demonstrates the feasibility of new radar concepts and systems, performs related systems analyses and evaluation of radar, and provides special consultative services. The emphasis is on new and advanced concepts and technology in radar and related sensors that are applicable to enhancing the Navy's ability to fulfill its mission.

Personnel: 94 full-time civilian

# **Key Personnel**

Name Title		Code	
Dr. B.G. Danly	Superintendent, Radar Division	5300	
Dr. J.Y. Choe	Associate Superintendent	5301	
Ms. J.M. Harrington	Administrative Officer	5302	
Vacant	Senior Consultant Staff	5304	
Mr. J.A. Pavco	Marine Corps and IFF Coordinator	5305	
Mr. V. Gregers-Hansen	AEGIS Coordinator	5306	
Dr. B.G. Danly	Head, Advanced Concepts Group	5307	
Vacant	Head, Radar Analysis Branch	5310	
Mr. J.J. Alter	Head, Advanced Radar Systems Branch	5320	
Dr. E.L. Mokole	Head, Surveillance Technology Branch	5340	

Point of contact: Dr. B.G. Danly, Code 5300, (202) 404-2700

# **Information Technology Division**

# Code 5500 Research Activity Areas

### Freespace Photonics Communications Office

Extended spectrum communications

Atmospheric channel effects on photonic transfer

Studies in marine miraging

Analog modulation techniques on freespace optical

carriers

Modulating retroreflector based communications

Signature studies for ISR

Adaptive optics for freespace optical communications

### **Adversarial Modeling and Exploitation Office**

Hostile intent and deception detection

Behavior detection research

Geospatial modeling and simulation

Dynamic semantic networks

Behavioral modeling, analysis and metrics

Spatially integrated social science

Integrated intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance

Automated video analysis and retrieval

### Navy Center for Applied Research in Artificial Intelligence

Intelligent decision aids

Natural language and multimodal interfaces

Intelligent software agents

Machine learning and adaptive systems

Robotics software and computer vision

Neural networks

Novel devices/techniques for HCI

Spatial audio

Immersive simulation

Autonomous and intelligent systems

Case-based reasoning and problem-solving methods

Machine translation technology evaluation

Cognitive architectures

Human-robot interaction

### Transmission Technology

Communication system architecture

Communication antenna/propagation technology

Communications intercept systems

Virtual engineering

Secure voice technology

Satellite and tactical networking

Satellite communications research

Satellite architecture analysis

RF systems analysis

### **Center for High Assurance Computer Systems**

Secure service oriented architectures (SOA) and

Secure Enterprise Architectures (SEA)

Formal specification/verification of system security

COMSEC application technology

Technology and solutions to secure networks and databases

Software engineering for secure systems

Key management and distribution solutions

Information systems security (INFOSEC) engineering

Formal methods for requirements specification and verification

Security product development

Secure wireless network and wireless sensor technology

Network security protocol modeling, simulation, and verificaton

Cross-domain solution technology development

Computer Network Defense (CND) technology

Hardware/software co-design

Malicious code analysis

Information hiding (watermarking, covert channel analysis, etc.)

Anonymizing systems

Quantum information science

Logical foundations of security

### **Networks and Communication Systems**

Communication system engineering

Mobile, wireless networking technology

Bandwidth management (quality of service)

Joint service tactical networking

Integration of communication and C2 applications

Automated testing of highly mobile tactical networks

Reliable multicast protocols and applications

Communication network simulation

Networking protocols for directional antennas

Policy-based network management

Tactical voice-over IP

Sensor networks

Advanced tactical data links

Cognitive radio technology

### Information Management and Decision Architectures

Virtual reality/mobile augmented reality

Visual analytics

Scientific visualization

Computer graphics

Human-computer interaction

Service oriented architecture

Service orchestration

Data and information management

Human-centered design

Parallel and distributed computation

Distributed modeling and simulation

Natural environments for distributed simulation

Intelligent decision support

Information sharing

Semantic web technology

Data mining

Software agents for data fusion

### Center for Computational Science

Transparent optical network research and design

Parallel computing

Scalable high performance computing and networking for Navy and DoD

Large data in distributed computing

Scientific visualization

High-performance file systems

High-definition video technology

NRL labwide computer network and related services

Labwide support for web, email, and other information

ATDnet and leading-edge WAN research networks

### Ruth H. Hooker Research Library

Desktop/workbench access to relevant scientific resources

NRL scientific digital archive (TORPEDO)

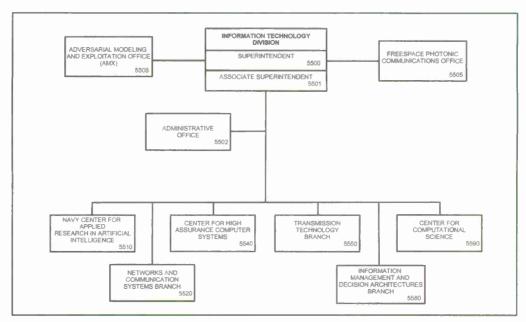
Authoritative database of NRL-produced publications (NRL Online Bibliography)

Comprehensive literature/citation/classified searches

Extensive collection of print and digital books, journals, and technical reports



Dr. J.D. McLean



The Information Technology Division conducts basic research, exploratory development, and advanced technology demonstrations in the collection, transmission, processing, presentation, and distribution of information to provide information superiority and distributed networked force capabilities that improve Naval operations across all mission areas. The Division provides immediate solutions to current operational needs as required while developing those technologies necessary to implement the Navy after next.

Personnel: 204 full-time civilian

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Mr. S. Chincheck	Director, Center for High Assurance Computer Systems	5540
Mr. M.A. Rupar	Head, Transmission Technology Branch	5550
Mr. R. Mittu*	Head, Information Management and Decision	
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# **Optical Sciences Division**

# Code 5600 Staff Activity Areas

Program analysis and development Special systems analysis Technical study groups Technical contract monitoring Theoretical studies

# **Research Activity Areas**

# **Optical Materials and Devices**

Advanced infrared optical materials IR fiber-optic materials and devices IR fiber chemical and environmental sensors IR transmitting windows and domes Transparent ceramic armor materials Planar waveguide devices IR nonlinear materials and devices Ceramic laser gain materials Advanced solar cell materials Fiber lasers/sources and amplifiers Radiation effects

# **Optical Physics**

Laser materials diagnostics
Nonlinear frequency conversion
Optical instrumentation and probes
Optical interactions in semiconductor
superlattices and organic solids
Laser-induced reactions
Organic light-emitting devices
Nanoscale electro-optical research
Aerosol optics

# **Applied Optics**

UV, optical, and IR countermeasures
Ultraviolet component development
Missile warning sensor technology
UV, visible, and IR imager development
Multispectral/hyperspectral sensors
Multispectral/hyperspectral/detection algorithms
Framing reconnaissance sensors
Novel optical components
Sensor control and exploitation system
development
IR low observables
EO/IR systems analysis
Atmospheric IR measurements
Airborne IR search and track technology

# **Photonics Technology**

Fiber and solid-state laser/sources
High-speed (<100 fs) optical probing
High-power fiber amplifiers
High-speed fiber-optic communications
Antenna remoting
Free space communication
Photonic control of phased arrays
Micro-electro-optical-mechanical systems
Optical clocks
Microwave photonics

# **Optical Techniques**

Fiber-optic materials and fabrication Fiber Bragg grating sensors/systems Fiber-optic sensors/systems (acoustic, magnetic, gyroscopes) Integrated optics



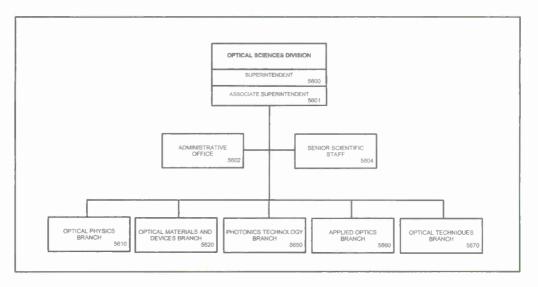
The Advanced Optical Materials Fabrication Laboratory, a state-of-the-art high vacuum cluster system, consists of a series of interconnected chambers allowing vacuum deposition of complex, multilayer films to be deposited and patterned without breaking vacuum during processing.



The Optical Fiber Preform Fabrication Facility includes computer control of the glass composition and standard fiber-optic dopants as well as rare earths, aluminum, and other components for specialty fibers.



Dr. R.G. Driggers



The Optical Sciences Division carries out a variety of research, development, and application-oriented activities in the generation, propagation, detection, and use of radiation in the wavelength region between near-ultraviolet and far-infrared wavelengths. The research, both theoretical and experimental, is concerned with discovering and understanding the basic physical principles and mechanisms involved in optical devices, materials, and phenomena. The development effort is aimed at extending this understanding in the direction of device engineering and advanced operational techniques. The applications activities include systems analysis, prototype system development, and exploitation of R&D results for the solution of optically related military problems. In addition to its internal program activities, the Division serves the Laboratory specifically and the Navy generally as a consulting body of experts in optical sciences. The work in the Division includes studies in quantum optics, laser physics, optical waveguide technologies, laser-matter interactions, atmospheric propagation, holography, optical data processing, fiber-optic sensor systems, optical systems, optical materials, radiation damage studies, IR surveillance and missile seeker technologies, IR signature measurements, and optical diagnostic techniques. A portion of the effort is devoted to developing, analyzing, and using special optical materials.

Personnel: 137 full-time civilian

## **Key Personnel**

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# **Tactical Electronic Warfare Division**

# Code 5700 Staff Activity Areas

EW Strategic Planning Signature Technology Office Effectiveness of Naval EW Systems (ENEWS)

# **Research Activity Areas**

## **Offboard Countermeasures**

Expendable technology and devices Unmanned air vehicles Offboard payloads Decoys

# Airborne Electronic Warfare Systems

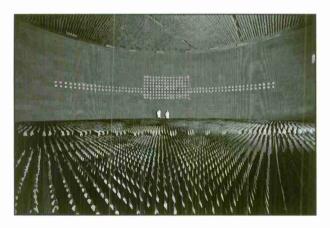
Air systems development Penetration aids Power source development Jamming and deception Millimeter-wave technology Communications CM

# **Ships Electronic Warfare Systems**

Ships systems development Jamming technology and deception EW antennas High power microwaves (HPM) research

# **Electronic Warfare Support Measures**

Intercept systems and direction finders RF signal simulators Systems integration Command and control interfaces Signal processing



## **Advanced Techniques**

Analysis and modeling simulation Experimental systems EW concepts Infrared technology

## Integrated EW Simulation

Hardware-in-the-loop simulation Data management technology Flyable ASM seeker simulators Foreign materiel exploitation (FME)

# **EW Modeling and Simulation**

High-fidelity threat models and simulations Advanced system visualization EW tactical decision aids RF environmental and propagation modeling

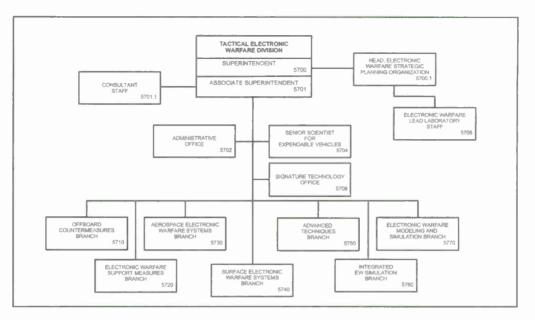


Using the latest composite, MMIC, and processing technologies, the Tactical Electronic Warfare Division has developed a small, lightweight, and inexpensive ESM receiving system for use on frigates, Coast Guard vessels, and various patrol aircraft.

The Central Target Simulator (CTS) Programmable Array is part of a large hardware-in-the-loop simulation facility whose purpose is to test and evaluate electronic warfare systems and techniques used to counter radar-guided missile threats to Navy forces.



Dr. F.J. KLEMM



The Tactical Electronic Warfare Division (TEWD) is responsible for research and development in support of the Navy's tactical electronic warfare requirements and missions. These include electronic warfare support measures, electronic countermeasures, and supporting counter-countermeasures, as well as studies, analyses, and simulations for determining and improving the effectiveness of these systems.

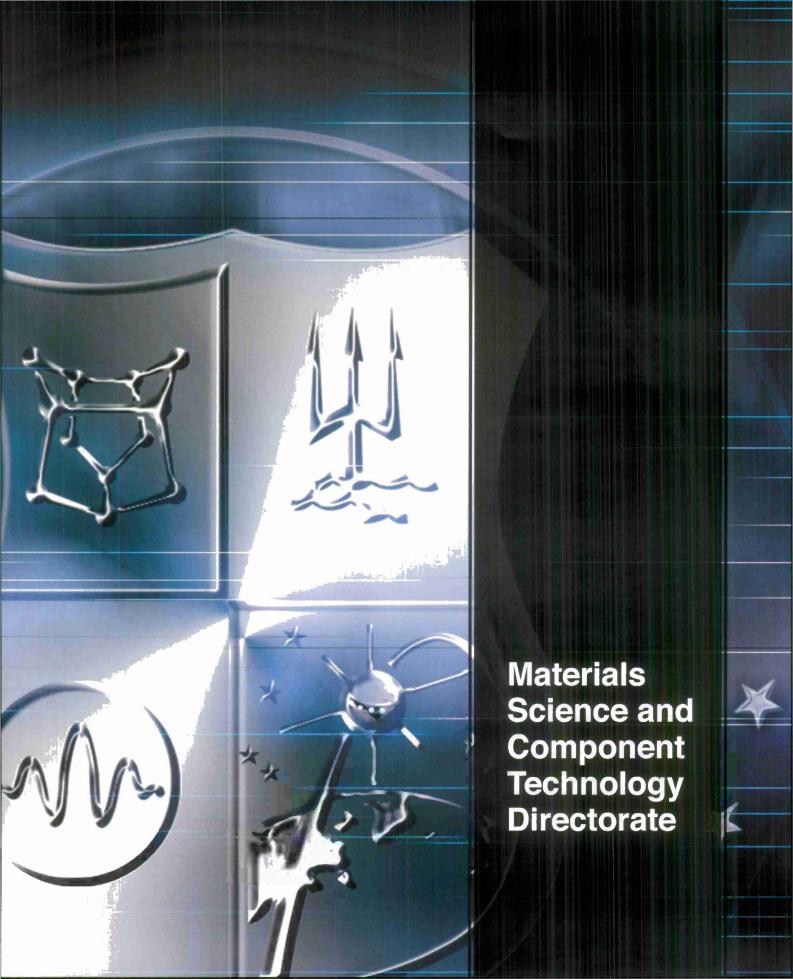
Personnel: 237 full-time civilian

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Mr. J.A. Peak*	Head, Signature Technology Office	5708
Mr. J.G. Durbin	Head, Offboard Countermeasures Branch	5710
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Dr. G.A.H. Cowart	Head, Aerospace Electronic Warfare Systems Branch	5730
Mr. M.J. Monsma	Head, Surface Electronic Warfare Systems Branch	5740
Dr. R.H. Evans	Head, Advanced Techniques Branch	5750
Mr. J.A. Mills	Head, Integrated Electronic Warfare Simulation Branch	5760
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# MATERIALS SCIENCE AND COMPONENT TECHNOLOGY DIRECTORATE

Code 6000

The Materials Science and Component Technology Directorate carries out a multidisciplinary research program whose objectives are the discovery, invention, and exploitation of new improved materials, the generation of new concepts associated with materials behavior, and the development of advanced components based on these new and improved materials and concepts. Theoretical and experimental research is carried out to determine the scientific origins of materials behavior and to develop procedures for modifying these materials to meet important naval needs for advanced platforms, electronics, sensors, and photonics.

The program includes investigations of a broad spectrum of materials including insulators, semiconductors, superconductors, metals and alloys, optical materials, polymers, plastics, artificially structured bio/molecular materials and composites, and energetic materials, which are used in important naval devices, components, and systems. New techniques are developed for producing, processing, and fabricating these

materials for crucial naval applications.

The synthesis, processing, properties, and limits of performance of these new and improved materials in natural or radiation environments, and under deleterious conditions such as those associated with the marine environment, neutron or directed energy beam irradiation, or extreme temperatures and pressures, are established. For new materials design, emphasis is placed on protection of the environment.

Additionally, major thrusts are directed in advanced sensing, detection, reactive flow physics, computational physics, and plasma sciences. Areas of particular emphasis include nanoscience and technology, fluid mechanics and hydrodynamics, nuclear weapon effects simulations, high energy density materials including fuels, propellants, explosives, and storage devices, interactions of various types of radiation with matter, survivability of materials and components, and directed energy devices.

# Associate Director of Research for Materials Science and Component Technology



**D**r. **B.B. Rath** was born in Banki, India. He received a B.S. degree in physics and mathematics from Utkal University, an M.S. in metallurgical engineering from Michigan Technological University, and a Ph.D. from the Illinois Institute of Technology.

Dr. Rath was Assistant Professor of Metallurgy and Materials Science at Washington State University from 1961 to 1965. From 1965 to 1972, he was with the staff of the Edgar C. Bain Laboratory for fundamental research of the U.S. Steel Corporation. From 1972 to 1976, he headed the Metal Physics Research Group of the McDonnell Douglas Research Laboratories in St. Louis, Missouri, until he came to NRL as Head of the Physical Metallurgy Branch. During this period, he was adjunct professor at Carnegie-Mellon University, the University of Maryland, and the Colorado School of Mines. Dr. Rath served as Superintendent of the Materials Science and Technology Division from 1982 to 1986, when he was appointed to his present position.

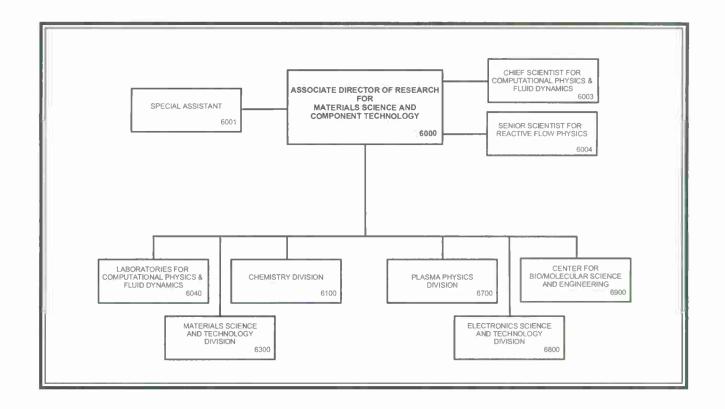
Dr. Rath is recognized in the fields of solid-state transformations, grain boundary migrations, and structure-property relationships in metallic systems. He has published over 140 papers in these fields and edited several books and conference proceedings.

Dr. Rath serves on several planning, review, and advisory boards for both the Navy and the Department of Defense, as well as for the

National Materials Advisory Board of the National Academy of Sciences, National Science Foundation, University of Virginia, Colorado School of Mines, and the University of Florida. He is currently the Navy representative to the DOE Deputy Assistant Secretary's advisory and planning committee on methane hydrates, and the Navy representative to the Indo-U.S. Joint Commission on Science and Technology. He previously served as the Navy representative to the panel of The Technical Cooperation Program (TTCP) countries.

Dr. Rath is a member of the National Academy of Engineering. He is a fellow of the Minerals, Metals and Materials Society (TMS), American Society for Materials-International (ASM), Washington Academy of Sciences, Materials Research Society of India, the Institute of Materials of the United Kingdom, and the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS). In 2007, Dr. Rath received an honorary doctorate in engineering from the Michigan Technological University and was elected to deliver the commencement address to the 2007 graduating class. In 2008, he received the Illinois Institute of Technology Mechanical Materials & Aerospace Engineering Department 2008 Alumni Recognition Award. In 2010, he received an honorary doctorate from Ravenshaw University.

Dr. Rath has received a number of honors and awards, most recently the Michigan Technological University Distinguished Alumni Award, the Padma Bhushan Award of Honors and Excellence bestowed by the President of India, and the Acta Materialia J. Herbert Hollomon Award. His other awards include the DoD Distinguished Civilian Service Award which is presented by the Secretary of Defense for distinguished accomplishments and sustained superior service, the 2005 Fred Saalfeld Award for Outstanding Lifetime Achievement in Science, the Presidential Rank Award for Distinguished Executive (2005), the NRL Lifetime Achievement Award (2004), National Materials Advancement Award from the Federation of Materials Societies (2001), the Presidential Rank of Meritorious Executive Award (1999 and 2004), the S. Chandrasekhar Award and Medal, and the Award of Merit for Group Achievement from the Chief of Naval Research. He received the 1991 George Kimball Burgess Memorial Award, the Charles S. Barrett Medal, and the prestigious TMS Leadership Award for his contributions to materials research. The American Society for Materials-International and The Metals, Minerals, and Materials Society have jointly recognized him with the TMS/ASM Joint Distinguished Lectureship in Materials & Society Award and the 2001 ASM Distinguished Life Membership Award. He has served as the 2004–2005 President of the American Society for Materials. He also has served as a member of the Boards of Directors/Trustees of TMS, ASM-International, and the Federation of Materials Society (FMS), as a member of the editorial boards of three international materials research journals, and as chairman of several committees of TMS, ASM, FMS, and American Association of Engineering Societies.



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Dr. E.S. Oran	Senior Scientist for Reactive Flow Physics	6004
Dr. K. Kailasanath	Director, Laboratories for Computational Physics and	
	Fluid Dynamics	6040
Dr. R.J. Colton	Superintendent, Chemistry Division	6100
Dr. R.K. Everett*	Superintendent, Materials Science and Technology Division	6300
Dr. T.A. Mehlhorn	Superintendent, Plasma Physics Division	6700
Dr. B. Levush*	Superintendent, Electronics Science and Technology Division	6800
Dr. B.R. Ratna	Director, Center for Bio/Molecular Science and Engineering	6900

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# Laboratories for Computational Physics and Fluid Dynamics

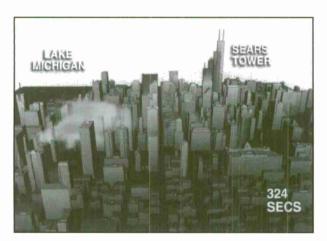
#### Code 6040 Research Activity Areas

#### **Reactive Flows**

Fluid dynamics in combustion Turbulence in compressible flows Multiphase flows Turbulent jets and wakes Turbulence modeling Computational hydrodynamics Propulsion systems analysis Contaminant transport modelling Fire and explosion mitigation



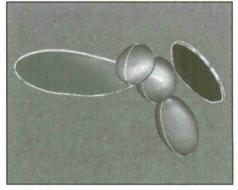
Olive (32P) and Snuffy (24P) — Origins at work.



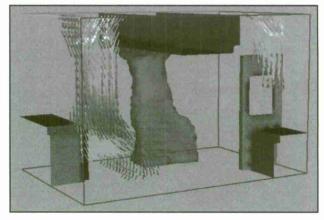
This figure shows a contaminant cloud from a FAST3D-CT simulation of downtown Chicago using a  $360 \times 360 \times 55$  grid (6 m resolution). A 3 m/s wind off the lake from the left blows contaminant across a portion of the detailed urban geometry. The contaminant is lofted rapidly above the tops of the majority of the buildings due to their geometrical effect.

#### **Computational Physics Developments**

Laser-plasma interactions
Inertial confinement fusion
Solar physics modeling
Dynamical gridding algorithms
Advanced graphical and parallel
processing systems
Electromagnetic and acoustic scattering
Microfluidics
Fluid structure interaction
Shock and blast containment



Unstructured grid technology has been used to obtain the surface pressure distribution on a hovering fruit fly *Drosophila*. Such computations are being carried out to gain insights into unsteady force production in nature that may guide in the design of insect-like autonomous air vehicles for the Navy.



Water-mist trajectories and temperature distributions during the suppression of a fire inside a complex ship compartment. Simulations and experiments have shown that using fine water-mist can significantly reduce the amount of water needed for fire suppression.



Dr. K. KAILASANATH

The Laboratories for Computational Physics and Fluid Dynamics (LCP&FD) are responsible for the research leading to and the application of advanced analytical and numerical capabilities that are relevant to NRL, Navy, DoD, and other Government agencies. This research is pursued in the fields of compressible and incompressible fluid dynamics, reactive flows, fluid/structure interactions including submarine and aerospace applications, atmospheric and solar geophysics, magnetoplasma dynamics, application of parallel processing to large-scale problems such as unsteady flows of contaminants in and around cities, advanced propulsion concepts, flame dynamics for shipboard fire safety, jet noise reduction, and other disciplines of continuum computational physics as required to further the overall mission of NRL. The specific objectives of the LCP&FD are to develop and maintain state-of-the-art analytical and computational capabilities in fluid dynamics and related fields of physics; to establish in-house expertise in parallel processing for large-scale scientific computing; to perform analyses and computational experiments on specific relevant problems using these capabilities; and to transfer this technology to new and ongoing projects through cooperative programs with the research Divisions at NRL and elsewhere.

Personnel: 22 full-time civilian

#### **Key Personnel**

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Dr. E.S. Oran	Senior Scientist for Reactive Flow Physics	6004
Dr. C. Kaplan-Solomon	Head, Laboratory for Propulsion, Energetic, and	
•	Dynamic Systems	6041
Dr. G. Patnaik	Head, Laboratory for Advanced Computational Physics	6042
Dr. D. Mott	Head, Laboratory for Multiscale Reactive Flow Physics	6043

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## **Chemistry Division**

#### Code 6100 Research Activity Areas

#### **Chemical Diagnostics**

Optical diagnostics of chemical reactions Kinetics of gas phase reactions Trace analysis Atmosphere analysis and control Ion/molecule processes Environmental chemistry/microbiology Methane hydrates Laboratory on a chip

#### **Materials Chemistry**

Alternate energy sources

Synthesis and evaluation of innovative polymers and composites
Functional organic coatings
Polymer characterization
Magnetic resonance
Degradation and stabilization mechanisms
High-temperature resins
Bio-inspired materials
Novel nanotubes and nanofibers
Reactive nanometals

# Center for Corrosion Science and Engineering

Materials failure analysis Marine coatings Cathodic protection



The Key West site of the NRL Center for Corrosion Science and Engineering specializes in understanding and modeling the marine environment's impact on naval materials. A complete laboratory for the study of corrosion control technologies provides sponsors with prototypical seawater exposure of their systems.

Corrosion science Environmental fracture and fatigue Corrosion control engineering

#### **Surface/Interface Chemistry**

Tribology
Surface properties of materials
Surface/interface analysis
Chemical/biological sensors
Surface reaction dynamics
Adhesion
Bio/organic interfaces
Diamond films
Energy storage materials
Nanostructured materials and interfaces
Electrochemistry
Plasmonics
Synchrotron radiation applications

#### Safety and Survivability

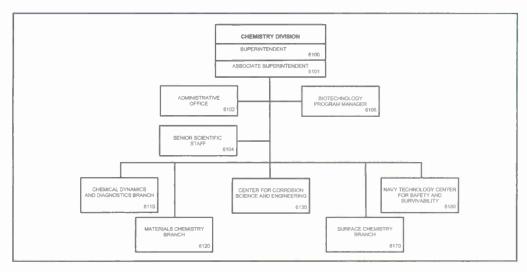
Combustion dynamics
Fire protection and suppression
Personnel protection
Modeling and scaling of combustion systems
Mobility fuels
Chemometrics / data fusion
Trace analysis



The ex-USS *Shadwell* (LSD 15), moored in Mobile Bay, Alabama, is NRL's full-scale, advanced fire research vessel operated by the Chemistry Division.



Dr. R.J. COLTON



The Chemistry Division conducts basic research, applied research, and development studies in the broad fields of chemical/structural diagnostics, reaction rate control, materials chemistry, surface and interface chemistry, corrosion passivation, environmental chemistry, and ship safety/survivability. Specialized programs within these fields include coatings, functional polymers/elastomers, clusters, controlled release of energy, physical and chemical characterization of surfaces, electrochemistry, assembly and properties of nanometer structures, tribology, chemical vapor deposition/etching, atmosphere analysis and control, environmental protection/reclamation, prevention/control of fires, mobility fuels, modeling/simulation, and miniaturized sensors for chemical, biological, trace analysis and data fusion, and explosives.

To enhance protection of Navy personnel and platforms from damage and injury in peace and wartime, the Navy Technology Center for Safety and Survivability performs RDT&E on fire and personnel protection, fuels, chemical defense, submarine atmospheres, and damage control aspects of ship and aircraft survivability; supports Navy and Marine Corps requirements in these areas; and acts as a focus for technology transfer in safety and survivability.

To address problems in corrosion and marine fouling, a Marine Corrosion Facility is located in Key West, Florida. This laboratory resides in an unparalleled site for natural seawater exposure testing and marine related materials evaluation. The tropical climate is ideal for marine exposure testing. Along with the high quality seawater, the location provides small climatic variation and a stable biomass throughout the year.

**Personnel:** 111 full-time civilian; 2 military; 6 intermittent; 2 part-time

#### **Key Personnel**

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## **Materials Science and Technology Division**

#### Code 6300 Research Activity Areas

## **Spintronics Materials and Sensors**

Superconducting materials Magnetic materials

Optoelectronic materials

Electroceramic materials

Radar absorbing materials THz sources and detectors

Bioelectronics

Remote video surveillance

Chemical sensors

Chaos theory

Thin film deposition

Pulsed laser deposition

Ion-beam-assisted deposition

Variable balance magnetron sputtering

Laser direct write

Ion implantation

Glass fiber draw tower

Polymer synthesis and characterization

Precision calorimetry

Analysis of extrasolar materials

Ballistic materials

Personal protective equipment

Explosives detection

#### **Multifunctional Materials**

Biomechanical surrogate development for threat response characterization Biomechanical simulation

Composite material systems

Multifunctional structure + other (e.g., power, etc.)

Hierarchical and tiled architectures

Armor protection

Image-based modeling
Materials by design
Mesoscale material characterization and
simulation
Physical metallurgy
Ferrous, nonferrous, and intermetallic alloys
Hot/cold isostatic pressing
Micro/nanostructure characterization

Modeling of electrochemical corrosion systems

Evaluation of cathodic protection performance

Three-dimensional microstructure characterization

Synthesis/processing of metal

Corrosion simulation and control

Rapid solidification

Welding/joining technology

Heat treating and phase transformations

Synthesis and processing of advanced ceramics

High energy density dielectrics

Piezoelectrics

#### **Computational Materials**

Condensed matter theory
Electronic structure of solids and clusters
Molecular dynamics
Quantum many-body theory
Theory of magnetic materials
Theory of alloys

Semiconductor and surface physics Theoretical studies of phase transitions

Atomic physics theory

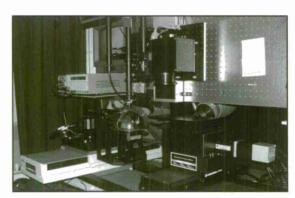
Protein modeling

Continuum multiphysics modeling



The variable pressure scanning electron microscope facility provides capabilities for imaging down to 10 nm resolution, with both

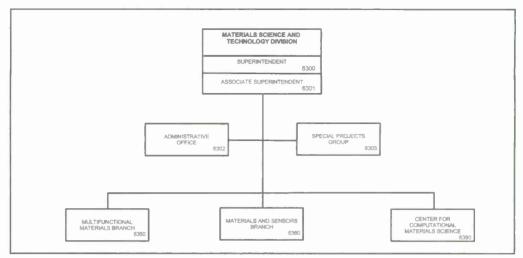
secondary and backscattered electron detectors. The capability of operating at variable pressures allows for the examination of nonconducting samples without the need for coating. The system is equipped with energy dispersive spectroscopy (EDS) capabilities for measuring, quantifying, and mapping chemical composition, as well as an electron backscattered diffraction (EBSD) camera for the mapping and quantification of material crystallography.



Five-axis laser micromachining and laser direct-write system based on a high-repetition-rate (100 kHz) UV solid-state laser (266 nm). This system can directly deposit and pattern metals and dielectrics on doubly curved surfaces (such as the hemispherical dome shown) with a linewidth resolution down to a few microns and a positional accuracy of one micron.



Dr. R.K. Everett\*



The Materials Science and Technology Division conducts basic and applied research and engages in exploratory and advanced development of materials having substantive value to the Navy. R&D programs encompass the intrinsic behavior of metals, insulators, composites, and ceramics, including efforts in ferrous alloys, intermetallic compounds, superconducting, dielectric, and magnetic materials, films and coatings, and multifunctional materials systems. The programs encompass advanced synthesis and processing techniques as well as postprocessing techniques to fabricate sensors, devices, structures, and components. A variety of state-of-the-art characterization tools are used to probe the atomic and microstructure nature (composition and structure) of the materials as well as to delineate the fundamental properties of the material or material system. Response of materials and material systems to a variety of external influences (mechanical, chemical, optical, electromagnetic radiation, high-power lasers, temperature, etc.) is integral to the Division's programs, as are performance and reliability projections for military service lifetime. The program includes strong theoretical, computational, and simulation efforts to predict, guide, and explain the behavior of materials and materials systems. Studies conducted in the Division provide guidance for the selection, design, certification, and life-cycle management of material in naval vehicles and systems. The diversity of R&D programs in the Division is carried out by multidisciplinary teams of materials scientists, metallurgists, ceramists, physicists, chemists, and engineers using the most advanced testing facilities and diagnostic techniques.

Personnel: 110 full-time civilian

#### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Dr. R.K. Everett* Dr. B. Jonker Dr. R.K. Everett Mr. M.R. Shepherd Dr. G.K.Hubler* Dr. P. Matic Dr. R.K. Everett*	Superintendent, Materials Science and Technology Division Senior Scientist Associate Superintendent Administrative Officer Head, Special Projects Group Head, Multifunctional Materials Branch Head, Materials and Sensors Branch	6300 6300.1 6301 6302 6303 6350 6360
Dr. M.J. Mehl	Head, Center for Computational Materials Science	6390

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## **Plasma Physics Division**

# Code 6700 Research Activity Areas

#### **Radiation Hydrodynamics**

Radiation hydrodynamics of Z-pinches and laser-produced plasmas

X-ray source development

Cluster dynamics in intense laser fields

X-ray channeling and propagation

Plasma kinetics for directed energy and fusion

Plasma discharge physics

Dense plasma atomic physics, equation of

Numerical simulation of high-density plasma Laser driven ion/neutron sources

#### Laser Plasma

Nuclear weapons stockpile stewardship Laser fusion, inertial confinement Megabar high-pressure physics Rep-rate KrF laser development Impact fusion Laser fusion technology Laser fusion energy Detection of chemical/biological/nuclear materials

#### **Charged Particle Physics**

Applications of modulated electron beams Rocket, satellite, and shuttle-borne natural and active experiments Laboratory simulation of space plasma processes



The NRL Ti:Sapphire Femtosecond Laser (TFL) currently operates at 50 fsec, 10 TW and provides a facility to conduct research in intense laser-plasma interactions, ultrashort intense laser propagation in the atmosphere, remote sensing of chem/bio agents, and laser-induced electrical discharges.

Large-area plasma processing sources Plasma processing of energy sensitive materials Atmospheric and ionospheric GPS sensing Ionospheric effects on communications Electromagnetic launchers Radiation belt remediation

#### **Pulsed Power Physics**

Production, focusing, and propagation of intense electron and ion beams
High-power, pulsed radiography
Plasma radiator and bremsstrahlung diode sources
Capacitive and inductive energy storage
Nuclear weapons effects simulation
Electromagnetic launchers
Detection of Special Nuclear Materials
Advanced energetics via stimulated nuclear decay

#### **Beam Physics**

Advanced accelerators and radiation sources
Microwave, plasma, and laser processing of materials
Microwave sources: magnicons and gyrotrons
Nonlinear dynamics of coupled lasers
Ultrahigh-intensity laser-matter interactions
Free electron lasers and laser synchrotrons
Theory and simulation of space and solar plasmas
Global ionospheric and space weather modeling
Laser propagation in the atmosphere
Underwater laser interactions

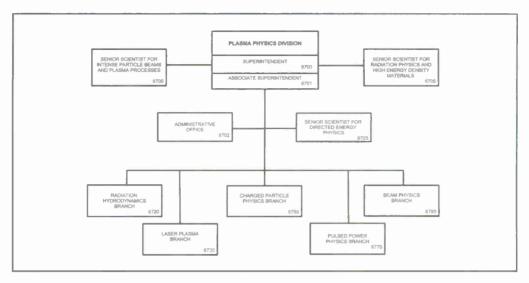


Nike is the world's largest krypton fluoride (KrF) laser and is used to explore physics issues for laser fusion. Shown is the propagation bay where 56 short-duration (4–5 ns) beams are directed by mirrors first to the electron-beampumped amplifiers and then to the target

facility. The Nike KrF system achieves extremely uniform high-intensity illumination of planar targets by overlapping numerous smoothed laser beams. Typical experiments include studies of the ablative acceleration of matter to high velocities (100 km/sec) and studies of the reaction of materials to very high pressures (10 million atmospheres) produced by the laser light.



Dr. T.A. MEHLHORN



The Plasma Physics Division conducts a broad theoretical and experimental program of basic and applied research in plasma physics, laboratory discharge, and space plasmas, intense electron and ion beams and photon sources, atomic physics, pulsed power sources, laser physics, advanced spectral diagnostics, and nonlinear systems. The effort of the Division is concentrated on a few closely coordinated theoretical and experimental programs. Considerable emphasis is placed on large-scale numerical simulations related to plasma dynamics; ionospheric, magnetospheric, and atmospheric dynamics; nuclear weapons effects; inertial confinement fusion; atomic physics; plasma processing; nonlinear dynamics and chaos; free electron lasers and other advanced radiation sources; advanced accelerator concepts; and atmospheric laser propagation. Areas of experimental interest include laser-plasma, laser-electron beam, and laser-matter interactions, high-energy laser weapons, laser shock hydrodynamics, thermonuclear fusion, electromagnetic wave generation, the generation of intense electron and ion beams, large-area plasma processing sources, electromagnetic launchers, high-frequency microwave processing of ceramic and metallic materials, advanced accelerator development, inductive energy storage, laboratory simulation of space plasma phenomena, high-altitude chemical releases, and in situ and remote sensing space plasma measurements.

Personnel: 85 full-time civilian

Key Personnel				
Name	Title	Code		
Dr. T.A. Mehlhorn	Superintendent, Plasma Physics Division	6700		
Dr. R.F. Hubbard	Associate Superintendent	6701		
Ms. T.G. Santos	Administrative Officer	6702		
Dr. P. Sprangle	Senior Scientist, Directed Energy Physics	6703		
Dr. J. Davis	Senior Scientist, Radiation Physics and High Energy			
	Density Materials	6705		
Dr. G. Ganguli	Senior Scientist, Intense Particle Beams and			
	Plasma Processes	6709		
Dr. J. Giuliani*	Head, Radiation Hydrodynamics Branch	6720		
Dr. S.P. Obenschain	Head, Laser Plasma Branch	6730		
Dr. R.A. Meger	Head, Charged Particle Physics Branch	6750		
Dr. J. Schumer	Head, Pulsed Power Physics Branch	6770		
Dr. J. Penano*	Head, Beam Physics Branch	6790		

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## **Electronics Science and Technology Division**

#### Code 6800 Research Activity Areas

#### **Electronic Materials**

Preparation and development of magnetic, dielectric, optical, and semiconductor materials including micro- and nanostructures

Electrical, optical, and magneto-optical studies of semiconductor microstructures and nanostructures, superlattices, surfaces, and interfaces Impurity and defect studies

Surface research and interface physics Theoretical solid-state physics

#### **Microwave Technology**

Microwave and millimeter-wave integrated circuits and components research

High-frequency device design, simulation, and fabrication

Reliability and failure physics of electronic devices and circuits

Oxide- and carbon-based electronics for highfrequency devices

#### **Power Electronics**

Power device design, simulation, and fabrication High-voltage/high-temperature power device and components research

Growth and characterization of wide bandgap and thin film materials for power devices

Wafer bonding for power devices and novel substrates

Reliability and failure physics of power devices

#### **Nanoelectronics**

Characterization of nanosurfaces and interfaces Nanoelectronic device research and fabrication Processing research for nanometric devices

#### **Radiation Effects**

Space experiments and satellite survivability
Single event and total ionizing dose effects
Radiation hardening of electronics devices,
circuits, and optoelectronic sensors
Ultrafast charge collection
Environmental hazard remediation
Advanced photovoltaic technologies
Femtosecond laser research
Radiation effects in microelectronics and
photonics

#### **Solid-State Devices**

Solid-state optical sensors Photovoltaic research and development Mid- and far-infrared photodiodes/arrays Microelectronics device research and fabrication Solid-state circuits research Signal processing research

#### **Vacuum Electronics**

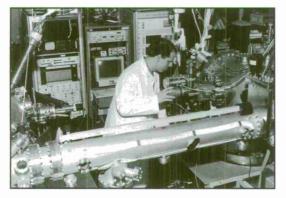
Compact millimeter-wave power amplifier research and development

Cathode research and electron emission science Materials development for microwave and millimeter-wave applications

Development of microfabrication techniques for upper millimeter-wave devices

Theory and numerical techniques for modeling of fast-wave and slow-wave devices

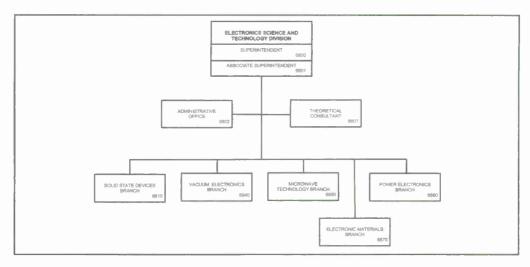
Techniques for broadband, complex waveform generation and analysis for high data rate communications and electronic warfare



The EPICENTER specializes in molecular beam epitaxial growth of nanostructures created by alternating layers of narrow bandgap materials made available from four ultrahigh-vacuum chambers. These structures are expected to improve the performance of far-infrared detectors, midwave lasers, and superhigh frequency transistors and resonant tunneling diodes. Here a scientist creates a structure using high-vacuum, chamber-to-chamber sample transfer.



Dr. B. Levush\*



The Electronics Science and Technology Division conducts programs of basic science and applied research and development in materials growth and properties, surface physics, micro- and nanostructure electronics, microwave techniques, microelectronic device research and fabrication, vacuum electronics, and cryoelectronics, including superconductors. The activities of the Division integrate device research with basic materials investigations and with systems research and development needs.

Personnel: 98 full-time civilian

#### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
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Dr. B. Levush*	Superintendent, Electronics Science and Technology Division	6800
Vacant	Associate Superintendent	6801
Vacant	Administrative Officer	6802
Dr. T.L. Reinecke	Senior Scientist for Nanoelectronics	6877
Dr. R.J. Walters	Head, Solid State Devices Branch	6810
Dr. D.K. Abe*	Head, Vacuum Electronics Branch	6840
Dr. J.M. Pond	Head, Microwave Technology Branch	6850
Dr. E.S. Snow	Head, Electronic Materials Branch	6870
Dr. F.J. Kub	Head, Power Electronics Branch	6880

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## Center for Bio/Molecular Science and Engineering

#### Code 6900 Research Activity Areas

#### **Biologically Derived Microstructures**

Self-assembly, molecular machining

Synthetic membranes

Nanocomposites

Tailored electronic materials

Low observables

Molecular engineering, biomimetic materials

Molecular imprinting

Viral scaffolds

Multifunctional decontamination coatings

#### **Biosensors**

Binding polypeptides and proteins

Cell-based biosensors

DNA biosensors

Fiber-optic biosensors

Flow immunosensors

Array-based sensors

Optical biosensors

Microfluidics

#### **Novel Materials**

Soil/groundwater explosives detection Antifouling paint, controlled release

Single chain antibodies

Liquid crystal nanoparticles

Liquid crystal elastomers

Nano- and mesoporous materials

Quantum dot and protein conjugates

Biomimetic materials

#### **Molecular Biology**

Genomics and proteomics of marine bacteria

Tissue engineering

Gene arrays, biomarkers

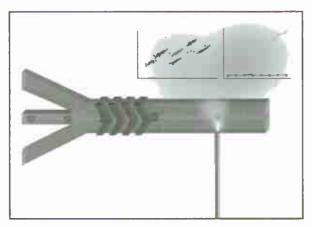
System and synthetic biology

#### **Energy Harvesting**

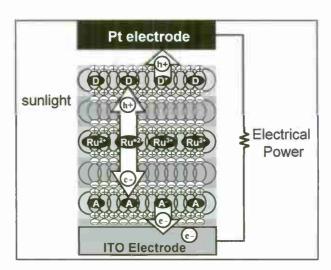
Biomaterials for charge storage

Ocean floor biofuel cell

Photo-induced electron transfer



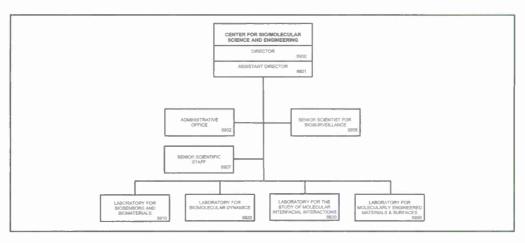
Microfluidic structures direct arrays of beads one-by-one past a laser beam. If a biothreat is bound to the surface of a bead, the identity of the threat can be determined by the color code on the bead.



Utilizing the self-assembly of molecular chromophores, electron acceptors, and electron donors to investigate non-silicon-based methods for electricity generation from sunlight.



Dr. B.R. RATNA



The Center for Bio/Molecular Science and Engineering is using the tools of modern biology, physics, chemistry, and engineering to develop advanced materials and sensors. The long-term research goal is first to gain a fundamental understanding of the relationship between molecular architecture and the function of materials, then apply this knowledge to solve problems for the Navy and DoD community. The key theme is the study of complex bio/molecular systems with the aim of understanding how "nature" has approached the solution of difficult structural and sensing problems. Technological areas currently being studied include molecular and microstructure design, molecular biology, self-assembly, controlled release and encapsulation, and surface patterning and modification. Much of the research deals with the self-assembly of lipids, proteins, and liquid crystals into complex microstructures for use in advanced material applications, and the harnessing of the recognition functions of proteins and cells for the development of advanced sensors. A highly multidisciplinary staff is required to pursue these research and development programs. The Center provides a stimulating environment for cross-disciplinary programs in the areas of immunology, biochemistry, electrochemistry, inorganic and polymer chemistry, microbiology, microlithography, photochemistry, biophysics, spectroscopy, advanced diagnostics, organic synthesis, and electro-optical engineering.

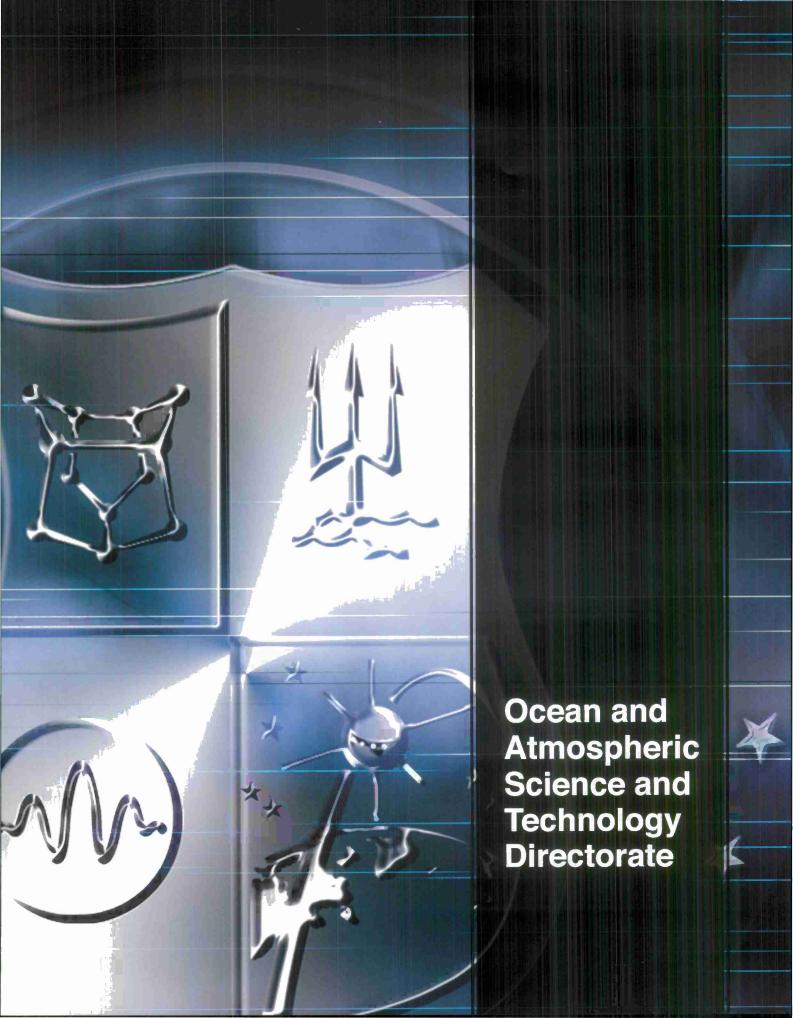
Personnel: 57 full-time civilian

#### **Key Personnel**

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Ms. A.W. Kusterbeck	Assistant Director	6901
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Dr. D.A. Stenger	Senior Scientist for Biosurveillance	6905
Dr. F.S. Ligler	Head, Senior Scientific Staff	6907
Dr. I. Medintz	Head, Laboratory for Biosensors and Biomaterials	6910
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Dr. L.M. Tender	Head, Laboratory for the Study of Molecular Interfacial	
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# OCEAN AND ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY DIRECTORATE

#### **Code 7000**

The Ocean and Atmospheric Science and Technology Directorate performs research and development in the fields of acoustics, remote sensing, oceanography, marine geosciences, marine meteorology, and space science. Areas of emphasis in acoustics include advanced acoustic concepts and computation, acoustic signal processing, physical acoustics, acoustic systems, ocean acoustics, and acoustic simulation and tactics. Areas of emphasis in remote sensing include radio, infrared, and optical sensors, remote sensing physics and hydrodynamics, remote sensing simulation, and imaging systems. Areas of emphasis in oceanography include coastal and open ocean dynamics, ocean modeling and prediction, coastal and open ocean processes, remote sensing applications to oceanography, and marine biocorrosion processes. Areas of emphasis in marine geosciences include

marine physics, seafloor sciences, geospatial information science and technology, and mapping, charting, and geodesy. Areas of emphasis in marine meteorology include atmospheric dynamics for theater-wide, tacticalscale prediction systems and forecast support, and meterological applications development. Areas of emphasis in space science include middle and upper atmosphere physics, solar terrestrial relationships, solar physics, and higher energy astronomy. Senior naval officers are assigned as military advisors to help maintain the directorate focus on operational Navy and other DoD requirements in these areas of emphasis. The directorate is responsible for administrative and technical support to major activities in Washington, DC; Stennis Space Center, Mississippi; and Monterey, California.

# Associate Director of Research for Ocean and Atmospheric Science and Technology



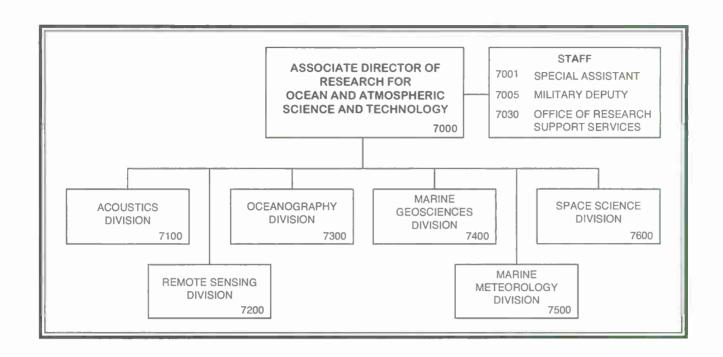
**D**r. E.R. Franchi was born in Huntington, New York. He graduated from Clarkson University in 1968 with a bachelor of science degree in mathematics. He received his master of science (1970) and Ph.D. (1973) degrees, both in applied mathematics, from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. After completing his graduate studies, Dr. Franchi accepted a research position with Bolt, Beranek, and Newman where he performed validation studies of underwater acoustic propagation and noise models.

Dr. Franchi joined the Naval Research Laboratory in 1975 as a research mathematician in the Acoustics Division. In this position, he conducted and directed research in low frequency acoustic reverberation and scattering, including design and conduct of field experiments, development of signal processing techniques, data analysis and interpretation, computer prediction models, and active sonar performance studies. In 1986, he was named Head of the Acoustic Systems Branch where he was responsible for programs that emphasized theoretical, experimental, and computational research to understand the physical mechanisms of acoustic propagation, scattering, and ambient noise that control the design and performance of large-aperture passive sonar

systems, low frequency active sonar systems, and shallow water sonar systems.

In July 1988, Dr. Franchi was appointed to the Senior Executive Service and selected as the Associate Technical Director of the Naval Ocean Research and Development Activity (NORDA) and its Director of Ocean Acoustics and Technology. The Directorate conducted basic, exploratory, and advanced research and development and program management in the areas of acoustic model development and simulation, ocean acoustics measurements, and ocean engineering in support of all undersea warfare missions. In October 1992, the Directorate became the Center for Environmental Acoustics in the Acoustics Division of the Naval Research Laboratory, with Dr. Franchi as Director. Dr. Franchi was selected to the position of Superintendent of the Acoustics Division in October 1993. The Acoustics Division conducts basic, exploratory, and applied research and development in areas of acoustic modeling and simulation, ocean acoustics measurements, acoustic systems development, acoustic signal processing, and physical acoustics. He was responsible for the technical/scientific management, direction, and administration of programs with a total budget in excess of \$25M, and for efficient management of division resources including the activities of approximately 110 civilian personnel. He served as Acting Associate Director of Research for the Ocean and Atmospheric Science and Technology Directorate from October 2001 to May 2002 and from June 2007 to April 2008. In April 2008, he was selected as the Associate Director of Research.

Dr. Franchi received the Presidential Rank Award of Meritorious Executive in 2003. He has over 35 years experience in underwater acoustics research and is the author/co-author of over 35 publications. He is recognized as an authority on underwater acoustic scattering and reverberation and has played major roles in Navy low frequency active sonar programs as both performer and advisor/consultant. He served as the U.S. National Leader of The Technical Cooperation Program's multinational Panel on ASW Systems and Technology from 1996 to 2002, and served as its Panel Chairman from 2002 to 2009. In 2011, Dr. Franchi received the TTCP Personal Achievement Award in recognition of his significant contributions and strategic vision in leading the ASW Panel. He represents the United States to the NATO Undersea Research Centre Scientific Committee of National Representatives and served as its Committee Chairman from 2010 to the present. In 2011, he was appointed to the NATO Science and Technology Reform Implementation Team. He was elected to Pi Mu Epsilon, the Honorary National Mathematics Society, while an undergraduate at Clarkson University. Dr. Franchi is a member of the Acoustical Society of America and past member of the Mathematical Association of America. Since 2004, he has volunteered his time to serve on the Board of Directors of the NRL Federal Credit Union.



#### **Key Personnel**

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Dr. D.G. Todoroff	Superintendent, Acoustics Division	7100
Dr. R.M. Bevilacqua	Superintendent, Remote Sensing Division	7200
Dr. R.H. Preller	Superintendent, Oceanography Division	7300
Dr. H.C. Eppert, Jr.	Superintendent, Marine Geosciences Division	7400
Dr. S.W. Chang	Superintendent, Marine Meteorology Division	7500
Dr. J.P. Dahlburg	Superintendent, Space Science Division	7600

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## Office of Research Support Services (NRL-SSC)

#### Code 7030 Staff Activity Areas

#### Office of Research Support

Conference coordination, video teleconferencing Directives, reports, forms

#### **Facilities Office**

Facilities planning and maintenance Vehicles

#### **HPC Management Office**

Supercomputing interface management

#### Safety/Environmental Office

Industrial/laboratory safety Specialized safety training Hazard abatement Mishap prevention Hazardous materials program Hazardous waste disposal

#### **Public Affairs Office**

Community relations News releases Exhibits Information Freedom of Information Act

#### **NRL-SSC Network Management Office**

Data communications
Data networking
Computer network maintenance



Dr. H.C. EPPERT, Jr.

The Office of Research Support Services is responsible for the operational and management support necessary for the day-to-day operations at NRL Stennis Space Center, Mississippi (NRL-SSC). The Head of NRL-SSC acts for the Commanding Officer in dealing with local Navy, Federal, and civil activities and personnel on matters relating to NRL-SSC support activities and facilities, community and multicommand issues, and safety and disaster control measures.

Support functions include public affairs, network support, safety, high performance computer management, and support services to include management, administration, and facilities.

Personnel: 8 full-time civilian

#### **Key Personnel**

Ms. V. May Administrative Officer 7030 Mr. P.T. Haverstic Head, Facilities Office 7030	Name	Title	Code
Mr. W.L. CalehuffSafety/Environmental Officer7030Ms. H. TurfittHPC Management Office7030	Ms. V. May Mr. P.T. Haverstic Ms. S.M. Breland Mr. W.L. Calehuff Ms. H. Turfitt	Administrative Officer Head, Facilities Office Public Affairs Officer Safety / Environmental Officer HPC Management Office	7030 7030.2 7030.3 7030.4 7030.5 7030.6 7030.8

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#### **Acoustics Division**

# Code 7100 Research Activity Areas

#### **Physical Acoustics**

Structural acoustics
Quantum effects in phononic crystals
Nanomechanical devices
Fiber-optic acoustic sensors
Acoustic transduction
Inverse scattering
Target strength/radiation modeling
Flow-induced noise and vibration
Active sonar classification
Underwater distributed, networked sensing
AUV-based sensing



At-sea deployment of underwater acoustic communications source/receiver array. The purpose is to conduct multiple-input-multiple-output (MIMO) underwater acoustic communications experiments to increase the bandwidth for distributed systems.



Structural acoustic studies are conducted in the one-million-gallon Acoustic Holographic Pool Facility.

#### **Acoustic Signal Processing and Systems**

Underwater acoustic communications and networking

Limits of array performance

Waveguide invariant processing

Acoustic field uncertainty

Acoustic interactions with transonic/

supersonic flows

Acoustic noise forecasting

Long-range underwater communications

Underwater distributed sensing networks

Ocean boundary scattering

Acoustic propagation

Acoustic inversion

Characterization of reverberation

Acoustic metamaterials

Acoustics of microfluidic bubbly emulsions

Active sonar performance modeling

Compressive sensing

Acoustic classification

Nonlinear propagation

Underwater acoustic network warfare

## Acoustic Simulation, Measurements, and Tactics

Ocean acoustic propagation and scattering models

Fleet application acoustic models

High-frequency seafloor and ocean acoustic measurements

Riverine acoustics

Distributed sensing networks

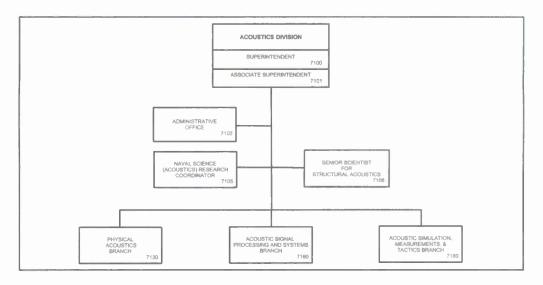
Incorporating uncertainty in predictive models Tactical acoustic simulations and databases

Warfare effectiveness studies and optimization

Environmental assessment and planning tools



Dr. D.G. Todoroff



The Acoustics Division conducts basic and applied research addressing the physics of acoustic signal generation, propagation, scatter, and detection with the objective of improving the strategic and tactical capabilities of the Navy and Marine Corps in the ocean and land operational environment. The Division's scientists and engineers perform collaborative research with scientists affiliated with national and international academic, private, and governmental research organizations. The Division's research spans classical and quantum physics, signal processing, the impact of fluid dynamics on the oceans sound speed field, the propagation and scatter of acoustic signals in the ocean and land environments, structural and physical acoustics including the development of MEMS and nanotechnology based sensors, and the application of networked unmanned underwater vehicles and associated sensors to the Navy's ASW, MCM, and ISR missions.

Personnel: 77 full-time civilian

#### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Dr. D.G. Todoroff	Superintendent, Acoustics Division	7100
Dr. M. Orr	Associate Superintendent	7101
Mr. J. Tomlinson	Administrative Officer	7102
Vacant	Naval Science (Acoustics) Research Coordinator	7105
Dr. E. Williams	Senior Scientist for Structural Acoustics	7106
Dr. B. Houston	Head, Physical Acoustics Branch	7130
Dr. G. Orris	Head, Acoustic Signal Processing and Systems Branch	7160
Dr. J. Fabre	Head, Acoustic Simulation, Measurements, and Tactics Branch	7180

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### **Remote Sensing Division**

#### Code 7200 Research Activity Areas

#### **Remote Sensing**

Sensors

SAR

Imaging radar

Passive microwave imagers

CCDs and focal plane arrays

Thermal IR cameras

Fabry-Perot spectrometers

Imaging spectrometers

Radio interferometers

Optical interferometers

Adaptive optics

Lidar

Spaceborne and airborne systems

Research Areas

Radiative transfer modeling

Coastal oceans

Marine ocean boundary layer

Polar ice

Middle atmosphere

Global ocean phenomenology

Environmental change

Ocean surface wind vector

Soil moisture

Ionosphere

Data assimilation

#### **Astrophysics**

Optical interferometry

Radio interferometry

Fundamental astrometry and reference frames

Fundamental astrophysics

Star formation

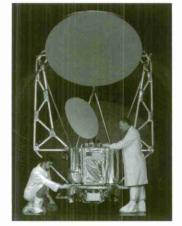
Stellar atmospheres and envelopes

Interstellar medium,

interstellar scattering

pulsars

Low-frequency astronomy



The WindSat polarimetric radiometer prior to spacecraft integration.

#### Physics of Atmospheric/Ocean Interaction

Mesoscale, fine-structure, and microstructure

Aerosol and cloud physics

Mixed layer and thermocline applications

Sea-truth towed instrumentation techniques

Turbulent jets and wakes

Nonlinear and breaking ocean waves

Stratified and rotating flows

Turbulence modeling

Boundary layer hydrodynamics

Marine hydrodynamics

Computational hydrodynamics

#### Imaging Research/Systems

Remotely sensed signatures analysis/simulation

Real-time signal and image processing

algorithm/systems

Image data compression methodology

Image fusion

Automatic target recognition

Scene/sensor noise characterization

Image enhancement/noise reduction

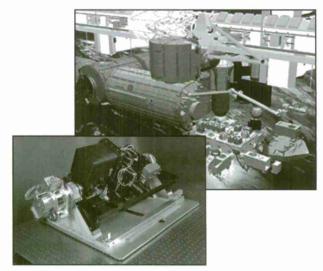
Scene classification techniques

Radar and laser imaging systems studies

Coherent/incoherent imaging sensor exploitation

Numerical modeling simulation

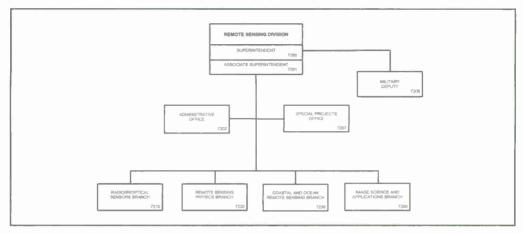
Environmental imagery analysis



The Hyperspectral Imager for the Coastal Ocean, or HICO, is optimized to image the coastal ocean and adjacent land in 128 contiguous color bands. This spectral data is used to develop maps of water depth, water optical properties, land vegetation, and soil bearing strength. HICO was deployed to the International Space Station in September 2009, providing scientific imagery of varied coastal types worldwide.



Dr. R.M. BEVILACQUA



The Remote Sensing Division is the Navy's center of excellence for remote sensing research and development, conducting a program of basic research, science, and applications aimed at the development of new concepts for sensors and imaging systems for objects and targets on the Earth, in the near-Earth environment, and in deep space. The research, both theoretical and experimental, deals with discovering and understanding the basic physical principles and mechanisms that give rise to target and background emission and to absorption and emission by the intervening medium. The accomplishment of this research requires the development of sensor systems technology. This development effort includes active and passive sensor systems to be used for the study and analysis of the physical characteristics of phenomena that give rise to naturally occurring background radiation, such as that caused by the Earth's atmosphere and oceans, as well as manmade or induced phenomena, such as ship/submarine hydrodynamic effects. The research also includes theory, laboratory, and field experiments leading to ground-based, airborne, and space-based systems for use in such areas as environmental remote sensing (including improved meteorological support systems for the operational Navy), astrometry, astrophysics, surveillance, and nonacoustic ASW. Special emphasis is given to developing space-based platforms and exploiting existing space systems.

Personnel: 97 full-time civilian

#### **Key Personnel**

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Dr. P. Gaiser*	Associate Superintendent	7201
Mrs. J.L. Persinger	Administrative Officer	7202
Vacant	Military Deputy	7205
Dr. T.L. Wilson	Head, Radio/Infrared/Optical Sensors Branch	7210
Dr. P.W. Gaiser	Head, Remote Sensing Physics Branch	7220
Dr. M. Kappus	Head, Coastal and Ocean Remote Sensing Branch	7230
Dr. R.L. Fiedler	Head, Image Science and Applications Branch	7260

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## **Oceanography Division**

# Code 7300 Research Activity Areas

#### Ocean Dynamics and Prediction

Circulation

Global resolution of circulation and mesoscale fields

Littoral circulation at the coast, bays, and estuaries

Satellite observation processing and assimilation

UUV adaptive sampling

Observation system simulation experiments

Ice volume and ice drift

Tidal currents and heights

Surface effects

Surface wave effects globally and into bays Wave breaking

Mixed layer dynamics

Swell propagation and dynamics

Phase averaged wave evolution

Phase resolved wave dynamics

Nearshore

Wave breaking at the shore

Rip currents at the shore

Tidal currents and heights into rivers

Nonlinear wave interaction

Sensor deployment optimization

Acoustic effects

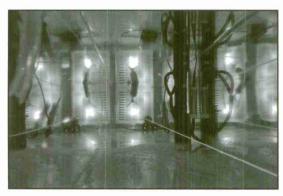
Sound speed variation for acoustic

propagation

Internal waves, solitons, and bores for beam

rocusing

Wave bubble entrainment and noise generation



Rayleigh Bernard Convective Tank provides a controlled environment capable of generating turbulent microstructures at various repeatable intensities.

#### **Ocean Sciences**

Dynamical processes

Optical turbulence

Biological sensing and modeling

Optical thin layers

Coastal current systems

Waves and bubbles

Coupled systems

Air/ocean/acoustic coupling

Coupled bio/optical/physical processes

Coupled physical/sediment processes

Remote sensing applications

3D optical profiling

Color/hyperspectral signatures

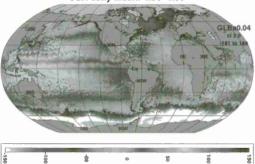
Ocean optics

Sea surface salinity

Microbiologically influenced corrosion

Metal-microbe interaction





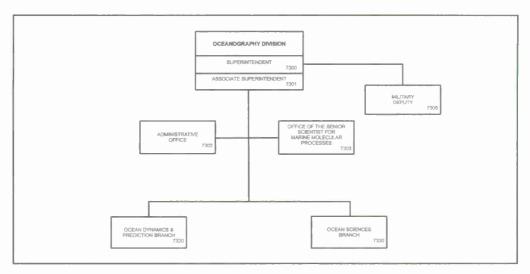
Global sea surface height from the 1/25° Hybrid Coordinate Ocean Model (HYCOM) including ice cover.



Environmental scanning electron microscope with focused ion beam (ESEM/FIB) coupled with an energy dispersive X-ray detector.



Dr. R.H. Preller



The Oceanography Division conducts basic and applied research in description and modeling of biological, physical, and dynamical processes in open ocean, regional, and littoral areas; in exploitation of satellite, airborne, and in situ sensors for environmental characterization; and in investigation and application of microbial processes to Navy problems. The oceanographic research is both theoretical and experimental in nature and is focused on understanding and modeling ocean, coastal, and littoral area hydro/thermodynamics, circulation, waves, ice dynamics, air-sea exchange, optics, and small and microscale processes. Analytical methods and algorithms are developed to provide quantitative retrieval of geophysical parameters of Navy interest from state-of-the-art sensor systems. The Division work includes analysis of biological processes that mediate and control optical properties of the oceans, coastal, and littoral regions, and microbially induced corrosion/metal-microbe interaction. The Division programs are designed to be responsive to and to anticipate Naval needs. Transition of Division products to the DoD, Navy systems developers, operational Navy, and civilian (dual use) programs is a primary goal. The Division's programs are coordinated and interactive with other NRL programs and activities, ONR's research programs, and other government agencies involved in oceanographic activities. The Division also collaborates and cooperates with scientists from the academic community and other U.S. and foreign laboratories.

**Personnel:** 86 full-time civilian; 1 military

#### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Dr. R.H. Preller	Superintendent, Oceanography Division	7300
Mr. R.C. Rhodes	Associate Superintendent	7301
Mr. R.C. Rhodes*	Administrative Officer	7302
Dr. B.J. Little	Office of the Senior Scientist for Marine Molecular	
	Processes	7303
CAPT K. Schwingshakl, USN	Military Deputy	7305
Dr. G.A. Jacobs	Head, Ocean Dynamics and Prediction Branch	7320
Mr. W.J. Teague*	Head, Ocean Sciences Branch	7330

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### **Marine Geosciences Division**

#### Code 7400 Research Activity Areas

#### **Marine Geology**

Sedimentary processes
Sediment microstructure
Pore fluid flow
Diapirism, volcanism, faulting, mass movement
Biogenic and thermogenic methane
Hydrate distribution, formation, and dissociation
Small-scale granular/fluid dynamics

#### Marine Geophysics

Seismic wave propagation
Physics of low-frequency acoustic propagation
Acoustic energy interaction with topography and
inhomogeneities
Gravimetry and geodesy
Geomagnetic modeling

#### Marine Geotechnique

Acoustic seafloor characterization

Geoacoustic modeling
Geotechnical properties and behavior of sediments
Measurement and modeling of high-frequency acoustic propagation and scattering
Mine burial processes
Marine biogeochemistry
Animal-microbe-sediment interactions
Early sediment diagenesis
Biomineralization of palladium species
Physics-based and numerical modeling of sediment strength

#### **Geospatial Sciences and Technology**

Digital product analysis and standardization

Digital database design

Data compression techniques and exploitation Hydrographic survey techniques
Bathymetry extraction techniques from remote and acoustic imagery
Modeling of nearshore morphodynamics
Geospatial portal design with 2D and 3D interfaces
Characterization of the littoral from airborne platforms

#### In Situ and Laboratory Sensors

High-resolution subseafloor 2D and 3D seismic imaging

Laser/hyperspectral bathymetry/topography
Swath acoustic backscatter imaging
Sediment pore water pressure, permeability, and
undrained shear strength

Compressional and shear wave velocity and attenuation

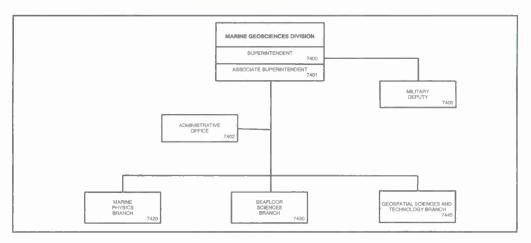
Airborne geophysics, gravity, and magnetics Seafloor magnetic fluctuation Sediment microfabric change with pore fluid and/or gas change Instrumented mine shapes Bottom currents and pressure fluctuations



In the Marine Geosciences Division, scientists perform laboratory experiments with a small oscillatory flow tunnel (S-OFT) to study the formation and migration of sand ripples. Rippled sand beds are ubiquitous on the seafloor in shallow water. Understanding the complex response of the seafloor to forcing from surface waves and currents is important for Naval operations from amphibious landings to mine warfare. Shown in the image is the S-OFT including a mounted laser and four high-speed video cameras to perform tomographic particle image velocimetry (Tomo-PIV) measurements, which estimate the three-dimensional fluid velocity in a volume up to 10 cm<sup>3</sup>. The upper inset is a picture of a sand ripple formed using a bimodal distribution of sand where the smaller sand particles are darker and the larger sand particles are lighter in color. The lower inset is a profile image of a sand ripple from the same experiment where the sorting processes between large and small grains have formed visible strata. Ripple migration is from right to left in both inset images.



DR. H.C. EPPERT, JR.



The Marine Geosciences Division conducts a broadly based, multidisciplinary program of scientific research, advanced technology development, and applied research in marine geosciences, geodesy, geospatial information, and related technologies. This includes investigations of basic processes within ocean basins, littoral regions and adjacent land areas, and arctic regions; development of models, sensors, and techniques; and the exploitation of this knowledge and technology to enhance Navy and Marine Corps systems, plans, and operations, and to meet national needs.

As the Navy's subject matter expert in the areas of Geospatial Information and Services (GI&S), the Division provides vital technical support to the Oceanographer/Navigator of the Navy, CNO, N2/N6F5, the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA) and the Tri-Service Community. NRL also contributes to the development of leading-edge geospatial technology by reviewing emerging GI&S standards and products.

Close coordination and interactions with the Commander, Naval Meteorology and Oceanography Command, Naval Oceanographic Office, CNO, Office of Naval Research (ONR), Systems Commands, Warfare Centers, NGA, and the other DoD and national organizations are essential to the success of Division programs, with transition of Division technology to systems developers and to the operational Navy a primary goal. The Division program is coordinated and interactive with other NRL programs and activities, ONR's Research Program Department, NOAA, USGS, NSF, and other government agencies involved in seafloor activities. The Division collaborates and cooperates with scientists from the academic community, other U.S. and foreign laboratories, and industry.

**Personnel:** 63 full-time civilian; 2 military

#### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Dr. H.C. Eppert, Jr.	Superintendent, Marine Geosciences Division	7400
Dr. P.J. Valent	Associate Superintendent	7401
Ms. V. May	Administrative Officer	7402
Vacant	Military Deputy	7405
Dr. J.M. Brozena, Jr.	Head, Marine Physics Branch	7420
Dr. K.T. Holland	Head, Seafloor Sciences Branch	7430
Mr. K.B. Shaw	Head, Geospatial Sciences and Technology Branch	7440

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### **Marine Meteorology Division**

# Code 7500 Research Activity Areas

# Atmospheric Dynamics and Prediction

Global to tactical scale

Deterministic and probabilistic

Large eddy simulation

Boundary layer

Land surface

Coastal

Arctic

Urban effects

Massively parallel computing

Coupled ocean/atmosphere

Tropical cyclones

Aerosols

Topographically forced flow

Predictability

Ensembles design

Advanced numerical methods

#### **Data Assimilation**

Hybrid techniques

3D and 4D variational analysis

Ensemble Transform Kalman Filter (ETKF)

Quality control and bias correction

Tropical cyclone initialization

Remotely sensed data assimilation

Adjoint applications

Direct radiance assimilation

Radar data assimilation

Targeted observations

Data selection techniques

Aerosol assimilation

UAV data assimilation

#### **Tactical Environmental Support**

Rapid environmental assessment

Through-the-sensor measurements

Atmospheric impact on

weapons systems

Chem-bio transport and

dispersion

Data fusion

Nowcasting

Visualization

Expert systems

Aviation risk assessment

#### **Atmospheric Physics**

Air-sea interaction

Cloud and aerosol microphysics

Radiative transfer

Aerosol characterization

Tropical cyclone structure

#### Satellite Data/Imagery

Automated classification of cloud properties

Sensor calibration/validation

Satellite imagery analysis and enhancement

Multisensor data fusion

Tropical cyclone characterization

Dust/aerosols

Rain rate and snow cover

Nighttime environmental analysis

IPSS preparation

Tactical meteorology

#### **Decision Aids**

Refractivity/ducting

Ceiling/visibility

Fog/turbulence/icing

Atmospheric acoustics

EM/EO propagation effects

Tropical cyclones/consensus forecasts

Nuclear/chemical/biological transport and

dispersion

Port studies

Typhoon havens

Forecaster handbooks

Quantification of uncertainty

Counter-piracy guidance

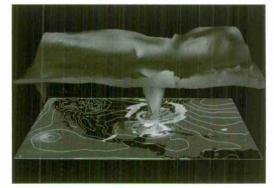
Tropical cyclone sortie guidance

Forecast difficulty guidance

Ship wind and wave limits

Optimal ship routing – fuel savings

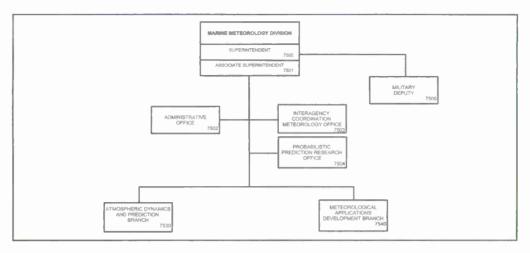
A 3D depiction of forecast sensitivity based on a COAMPS model forecast of Hurricane Katrina, obtained using the model's adjoint and tangent linear model



system. The sea-level pressure (white contours) and 10 m wind speed are shown at the surface. The sensitivity of the energy in a box surrounding Katrina to the previous 24-h model vorticity at 2.5 km is shown elevated above the surface. The 3D surface corresponding to the equivalent potential temperature of 340 K, shaded by wind speed, is also displayed.



Dr. S.W. CHANG



The Marine Meteorology Division conducts a basic and applied research and development program designed to improve scientific understanding of atmospheric processes that impact Fleet operations and to develop automated systems that analyze, simulate, predict, and interpret the structure and behavior of these processes and their effect on naval weapons systems. Basic and applied research includes work in air-sea interaction, aerosol and cloud physics, atmospheric turbulence, orographically forced flow, atmospheric predictability, scale interactions observation impact, advanced data assimilation, ensemble prediction, tropical dynamics, and numerical methods. Research and development ranges from development of atmospheric analysis/forecast systems and satellite data products to the development of tactical decision aids for operations support. Interdisciplinary research supports the development of coupled analysis / forecast systems, including components for ocean, wave, land surface, aerosol, chemistry, and middle atmosphere prediction. NRL-Monterey (NRL-MRY) is co-located with the Fleet Numerical Meteorology and Oceanography Center (FNMOC) and has developed and transitioned to FNMOC the data assimilation, global and mesoscale weather forecast models, aerosol prediction systems, and satellite applications products that form the backbone of the Navy's worldwide environmental forecasting capability. Specialties of the Division include numerical weather prediction, data assimilation, tropical cyclones, marine boundary layer processes, aerosols, rapid environmental assessment, environmental decision aids, and satellite data analysis, interpretation, and application.

Personnel: 77 full-time civilian; 1 military

#### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Dr. S.W. Chang	Superintendent, Marine Meteorology Division	7500
Dr. T.L. Tsui	Associate Superintendent	7501
Ms. L. Hazard	Administrative Officer	7502
Ms. P.A. Phoebus	Head, Interagency Coordination Meteorology Office	7503
Dr. J.A. Hansen	Lead Scientist, Probabilistic Prediction Research Office	7504
CDR A.W. Cox, USN	Military Deputy	7505
Dr. M.S. Peng	Head, Atmospheric Dynamics and Prediction Branch	7530
Dr. J.A. Hansen	Head, Meteorological Applications Development Branch	7540

**Point of contact:** Dr. S.W. Chang, Code 7500, (831) 656-4721; DSN 878-4721

## **Space Science Division**

#### Code 7600 Research Activity Areas

#### **Geospace Science and Technology**

Research to observe, understand, model, and forecast the Earth's operational environment that extends from the lower atmosphere to the magnetopause, in which region both terrestrial and solar effects influence the space environment.



First monolithic Doppler Asymmetric Spatial Heterodyne Spectroscopy (DASH) interferometer. DASH is an innovative, advanced optical technique that can be used to measure winds in the middle and upper atmosphere of Earth and on other planets.

#### **High Energy Space Environment**

Research of energetic particle,  $\gamma$ -ray, and X-ray/ultraviolet environments in space and for other applications of interest to the DoD, homeland security, and national programs, such as detection and surveillance of nuclear materials in terrestrial and space applications.

GLAST launched at 12:05 p.m. EDT on 11 June 2008 from Cape Canaveral Air Force Station on a Delta II 7920-10 rocket. After on-orbit checkout and commissioning, the observatory was renamed the Fermi Gamma-ray Space Telescope in honor of Enrico Fermi.

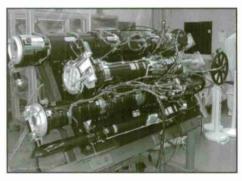




#### Solar and Heliospheric Physics

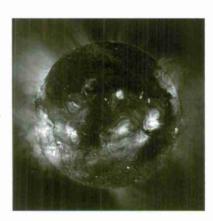
Research to develop a fundamental physical understanding of highly variable transient and long-term solar activity; the radiative, plasma, and particulate emissions associated with the activity; and the responses of the heliosphere and the terrestrial magnetosphere to the activity. Relevant empirical data is collected by conceiving, developing, and operating state-of-the-art imaging, spectrometric, and in situ space flight sensors on national and international space missions. Physics-based models are hypothesized, tested with the collected empirical data and computer simulation, and developed.

SECCHI: The Sun-Earth Connection and Heliospheric Investigation instrument suite, shown during testing at NRL, is returning spectacular stereo imagery of the region



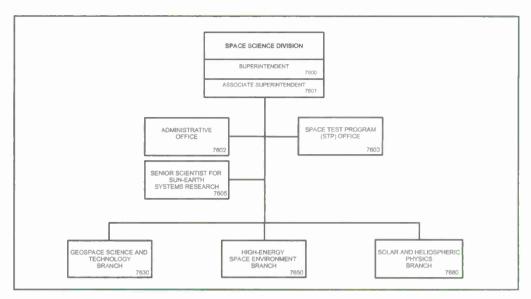
between the Sun and the Earth.

Solar image taken with the Extreme Ultraviolet Imaging Telescope (EIT) on the Solar and Heliospheric Observatory (SOHO) spacecraft. The bright areas are active regions above sunspots, and the dark areas are coronal holes where the open magnetic structure allows the fast solar wind to flow freely out into space.





Dr. J.P. Dahlburg



### **Basic Responsibilities**

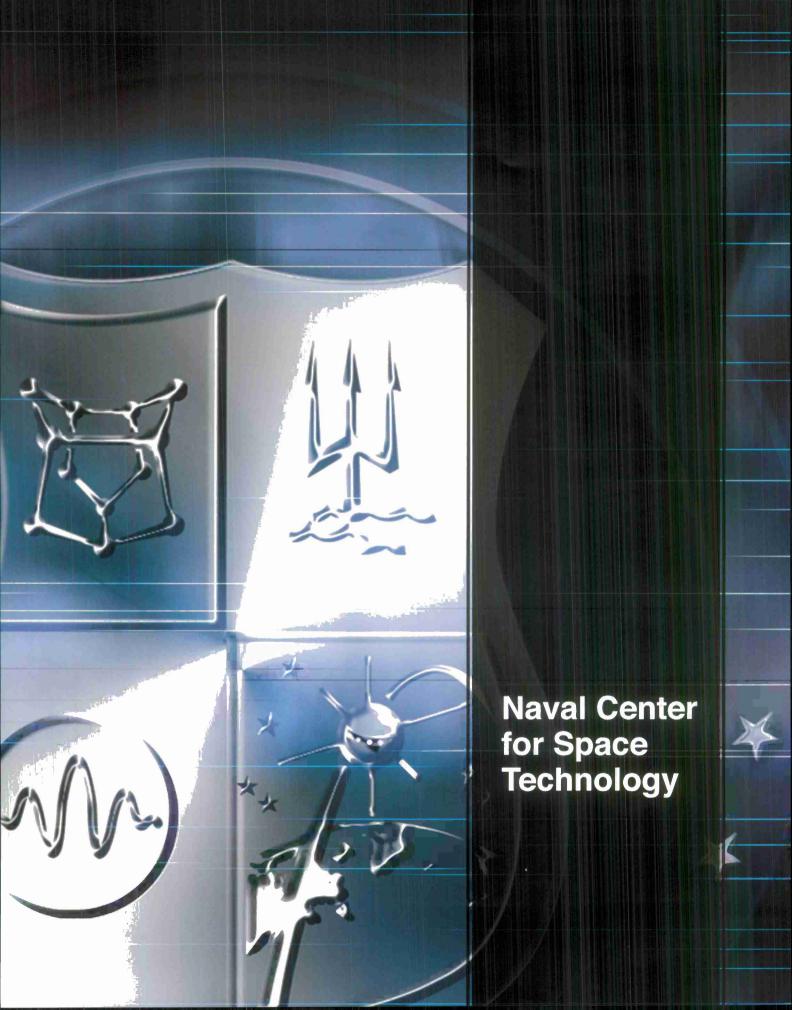
The Space Science Division conducts a broad-spectrum RDT&E program in solar-terrestrial physics, astrophysics, upper/middle atmospheric science, and astronomy. Instruments to be flown on satellites, sounding rockets and balloons, and ground-based facilities and mathematical models are conceived and developed. Researchers apply these and other capabilities to the study of the atmospheres of the Sun and Earth, including solar activity and its effects on the Earth's ionosphere, upper atmosphere, and middle atmosphere; laboratory astrophysics; and the unique physics and properties of celestial sources. The science is important to orbital tracking, radio communications, and navigation that affect the operation of ships and aircraft, utilitization of the near-space and space environment of the Earth, and the fundamental understanding of natural radiation and geophysical phenomena.

**Personnel:** 81 full-time civilian; 1 military

#### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
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Ms. S.L. Swann	Administrative Officer	7602
LCDR G. Ray, USN	Space Test Program Officer, Kirtland AFB, NM	7603
Dr. J.L. Lean	Senior Scientist for Sun-Earth Systems Research	7605
Dr. C.R. Englert	Head, Geospace Science and Technology Branch	7630
Dr. W.N. Johnson	Head, High-Energy Space Environment Branch	7650
Dr. D.G. Socker	Head, Solar and Helioshperic Physics Branch	7680

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### NAVAL CENTER FOR SPACE TECHNOLOGY

#### Code 8000

In its role to preserve and enhance a strong space technology base and provide expert assistance in the development and acquisition of space systems that support naval missions, the Naval Center for Space Technology performs basic and applied research through advanced development in all areas of interest to the Navy space program. The Center develops spacecraft, systems using these spacecraft, and ground command and control stations. Principal functions of the Center include understanding and clarifying requirements, recognizing and prosecuting promising research and development, analyzing and testing systems to quantify their capabilities, developing operational concepts that exploit new technical capabilities, performing system engineering to allocate design requirements to subsystems, and performing engineering development and initial operation to test and evaluate selected spacecraft subsystems and systems. The Center is a focal point and integrator for those divisions at NRL whose technologies are used in space systems. The Center also provides systems engineering and technical direction assistance to system acquisition managers of major space systems. In this role, technology transfer is a major goal and motivates a continuous search for new technologies and capabilities and the development of prototypes that demonstrate the integration of such technologies.

### **Director of Naval Center for Space Technology**

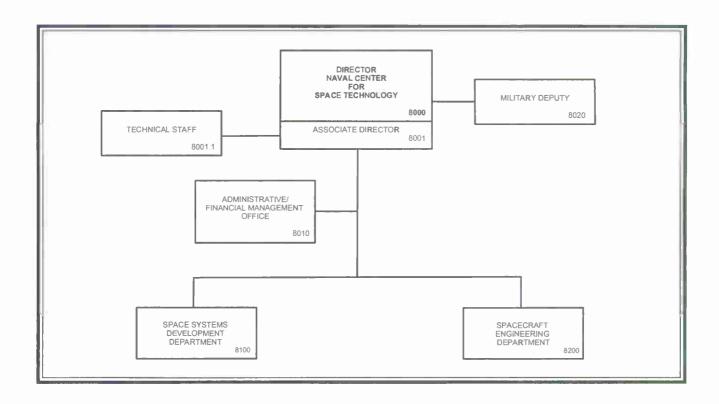


r. P.G. Wilhelm was born in New York City. He attended Purdue University, where he received a B.S.E.E. degree in 1957. By 1961, he had completed all the course work for an M.S.E. degree from George Washington University.

From 1957 to 1959, Mr. Wilhelm served as an electrical engineer with Stewart Warner Electronics where he was assigned to a project to redesign the UPM-70, a Navy radar test set. In March 1959, he joined the Naval Research Laboratory as an electrical scientist in the Electronics Division. In December 1959, he joined the Satellite Techniques Branch. In 1961, he became Head of the Satellite Instrument Section; in 1965, he became Head of the Satellite Techniques Branch; and in 1974, Head of

the Spacecraft Technology Center. In these positions, he performed satellite system design, equipment development, environmental testing, launch operations, and orbital data handling. In 1981, he was named Superintendent of the Space Systems and Technology Division, the Navy's principal organization, or lead laboratory, for space. He is credited with contributions in the design, development, and operation of more than 100 scientific and Fleet-support satellites. He has been awarded five patents. In October 1986, he was appointed Director of the newly established Naval Center for Space Technology. The Center's mission is to "preserve and enhance a strong space technology base and provide expert assistance in the development and acquisition of space systems which support naval missions."

Mr. Wilhelm has been recognized with numerous awards including the Navy's Meritorious Civilian Service Award, the DoD Distinguished Civilian Service Award, the Presidential Meritorious Executive Award, the Presidential Distinguished Rank Award, the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Aerospace and Electronic Systems Group Man of the Year Award, the NRL E.O. Hulburt Annual Science and Engineering Award, the Dexter Conrad Award, the Rotary National Stellar Award, the NRL Lifetime Achievement Award, and in May 1999, Mr. Wilhelm received the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA) Goddard Astronautics Award. He also has been elected a Fellow of the Washington Academy of Sciences and a Fellow of the American Institute of Aeronautics, and was elected to the National Academy of Engineering. Mr. Wilhelm is also the first recipient of the R.L. Easton Award for excellence in engineering.



### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Mr. P.G. Wilhelm	Director, Naval Center for Space Technology	8000
Vacant	Associate Director	8001
Vacant	Technical Staff	8001.1
Mr. S.M. Prior	Head, Administrative/Financial Management Office	8010
CDR R.J. Schgallis, USN	Military Deputy	8020
Mr. C. Dwyer	Superintendent, Space Systems Development Department	8100
Mr. J.P. Schaub	Superintendent, Spacecraft Engineering Department	8200

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### **Space Systems Development Department**

### Code 8100 Research Activity Areas

## Advanced Space/Airborne/Ground Systems Technologies

Space systems architectures and requirements
Advanced payloads and optical communications
Controllers, processors, signal processing, and VLSI
data management systems and equipment
Embedded algorithms and software
Satellite laser ranging

### **Astrodynamics**

Precision orbit estimation
Onboard autonomous navigation
Onboard orbit propagation
GPS space navigation
Satellite coverage and mission analysis
Geolocation systems
Orbit dynamics
Interplanetary navigation

# Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance

Communications theory and systems Satellite ground station engineering and implementation

Transportable and fixed ground antenna systems High-speed fixed and mobile ground data collection, processing, and dissemination systems Tactical communication systems



SEALINK Advanced Analysis (S2A) provides global, persistent, cooperative and non-cooperative maritime vessel tracking awareness and information that is valuable to intelligence analysts, joint warfighters, senior decision makers, and interagency offices within the SCI community.

### Space and Airborne Payload Development

Space and airborne system payload concept definition, design, and implementation including hardware and software

Detailed electrical / electronic design of electronic and electromechanical payload and systems and components

Design and verification of real-time embedded multiprocessor software

Payload antenna systems

Space and airborne payload fabrication, test, and integration

Launch and on-orbit payload support

### **Laser Communications Research**

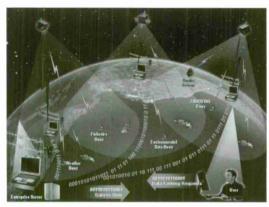
Ship-to-ship laser communications Space-to-ground laser communications Satellite laser ranging for precise orbit determination

### **Space and Airborne Mission Development**

Mission development and requirements definition Systems engineering and analysis Concepts of operations and mission simulations Mission evaluation and performance assessments

#### **Precision Navigation and Time**

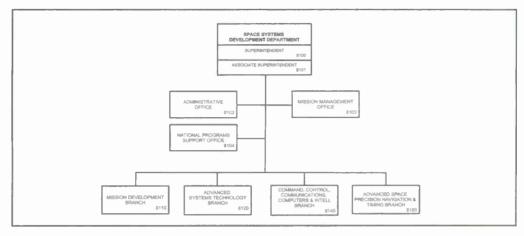
Advanced navigation satellite technology
Precise Time and Time Interval (PTTI) technology
Atomic time/frequency standards/instrumentation
Passive and active ranging techniques
Precision tracking of orbiting objects from space/ground
National and International standards for timekeeping/
Universal Coordinated Time/UTC (NRL)



The Global Awareness and Data Extraction International Satellite (GLADIS) is a system of 30 satellites designed to achieve expanded global situational awareness and information sharing.



Mr. C. Dwyer



### **Basic Responsibilities**

The Space Systems Development Department (SSDD) is the space and ground support systems research and development organization of the Naval Center for Space Technology. The primary objective of the SSDD is to develop command, control, communications, computers, and intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance (C4ISR) hardware and software solutions to space, airborne, and ground applications to respond to Navy, DoD, and national mission requirements with improved performance, capacity, reliability, efficiency, and/or life cycle cost. The Department must derive system requirements from the mission, develop architectures in response to these requirements, and design and develop systems, subsystems, equipment, and implementation technologies to achieve the optimized, integrated operational space, airborne, and ground system. These development responsibilities extend across the entire space/airborne/ground spectrum of hardware, software, and advanced technologies, including digital processing and control, analog systems, power, communications, payload command and telemetry, radio frequency, optical, payload, and electromechanical systems, as well as systems engineering.

Personnel: 126 full-time civilian; 1 part-time civilian; 23 student civilian; 1 intermittent civilian

### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Mr. C. Dwyer	Superintendent, Space Systems Development Department	8100
Mr. D.A. DeRieux	Associate Superintendent	8101
Ms. M.E. Russo	Administrative Officer	8102
Mr. R.L. Nichols	Head, Mission Management Office	8103
Vacant	Head, National Programs Support Office	8104
Mr. A. Hope	Head, Mission Development Branch	8110
Mr. J.W. Middour	Head, Advanced Systems Technology Branch	8120
Ms. W.S. Borodin	Head, Command, Control, Communications, Computers,	
	and Intelligence Branch	8140
Mr. R.L. Beard	Head, Advanced Space Precision Navigation and	
	Timing Branch	8150

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### **Spacecraft Engineering Department**

### Code 8200 **Research Activity Areas**

### Design, Test, and Processing

Design, fabrication, and testing of spacecraft and hardware

Preliminary and detailed design, fabrication, testing, and integration onto launch vehicle Systems engineering for new spacecraft proposals Start-to-finish responsibility for NCST spacecraft mechanical systems

### Space Mechanical Systems Development

Research and development in spacecraft technology

Conceptual design trade studies Integrated engineering design and analysis Structural and thermal design and analysis Development and transition of prototype hardware

Development and integration of experimental payloads

Mission integration and development

### **Control Systems**

Machine vision

and recovery

Fault detection, isolation,

Attitude determination and control systems Precision pointing Optical line-of-sight stabilization Propulsion systems Precision cleaning and component testing Propellent and pressurization systems Hydraulic and pneumatics control Test systems and services Analytical design and mission planning Navigation, tracking, and orbit dynamics Expert systems Flight operations support Computer simulation Computer animation Robotics systems engineering Proximity operations Autonomous servicing Autonomous inspection End effector design Compliance control Trajectory planning

### **Space Electronic Systems Development**

Space system concept definition, design, and implementation including hardware and software Detailed electrical/electronic design of electronic and electromechanical systems and components Implementation of real-time flight software and embedded command, control, and telemetry software Design and verification of real-time embedded multiprocessor software Spacecraft antenna systems Space systems fabrication, test, and integration Launch and on-orbit sup port Space test systems and electronic launch support equipment Space TT&C and control systems



Space communication systems

The Space Robotics Laboratory employs two six-degree-of-freedom robotic manipulators to perform realistic orbital and attitude motion simulations for proximity operations of spacecraft. This facility enables hardware-inthe-loop testing of machine vision systems,

capture mechanisms and autonomous guidance, navigation, and control algorithms. The resulting technologies will benefit future DoD space missions involving autonomous rendezvous and capture.

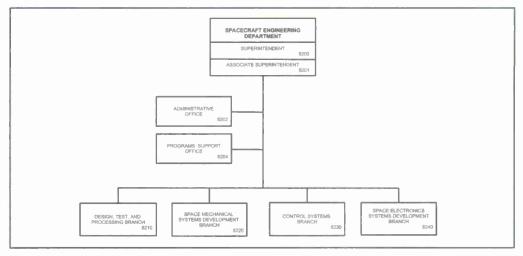


TacSat-4 is a Navy-led joint mission to provide operationally relevant capabilities and enable Operationally Responsive Space (ORS). TacSat-4 provides 10 ultra high frequency channels that can be used for any combination of communications, data exfiltration, or Blue Force tracking. Notably, TacSat-4 provides communications onthe-move with legacy radios and provides a wideband "MOUS-like" channel for early testing. The unique orbit augments geosynchronous communications by allowing near-global, but not continuous, coverage including the high latitudes. TacSat-4 also advances ORS development areas including spacecraft bus standards,

long dwell orbits, dynamic tasking, and net-centric operations. TacSat-4 launched in 2011.



Mr. J.P. SCHAUB



### **Basic Responsibilities**

The Spacecraft Engineering Department (SED) is the focal point for the Navy's capability to design and build spacecraft. Activities range from concept and feasibility planning to on-orbit IOC for NRL's space systems.

The SED provides spacecraft bus expertise for the Navy and maintains an active in-house capability to develop satellites; manages Navy space programs through engineering support and technical direction; in concert with the Space Systems Development Department, designs, assembles, and tests spacecraft and space experiments, including all aspects of space, launch, and ground support; analyzes and designs structures, mechanisms, and a variety of control systems, including attitude, propulsion, reaction, and thermal; integrates satellite designs, launch vehicles, and satellite-to-boost stages; functions as a prototype laboratory to ensure that designs can be transferred to industry and incorporated into subsequent satellite hardware builds; and consults with the Navy Program Office on technical issues involving spacecraft architecture, acquisition, and operation.

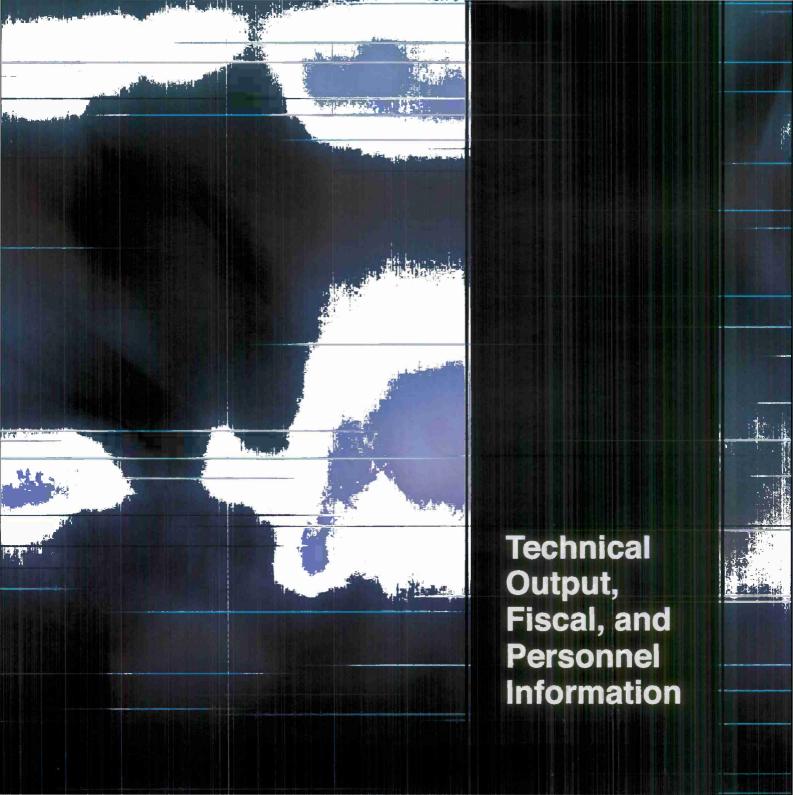
**Personnel:** 128 full-time civilian; 2 part-time civilian; 26 student civilian

### **Key Personnel**

Name	Title	Code
Mr. J.P. Schaub	Superintendent, Spacecraft Engineering Department	8200
Mr. J.A. Golba	Associate Superintendent	8201
Ms. C.A. Gross	Administrative Officer	8202
Mr. J.P. Schaub*	Head, Programs Support Office	8204
Mr. A.B. Jacoby	Head, Design, Test, and Processing Branch	8210
Mr. H.C. Merk	Head, Space Mechanical Systems Development Branch	8220
Mr. M.E. Mook	Head, Control Systems Branch	8230
Mr. M.S. Johnson	Head, Space Electronics Systems Development Branch	8240

**Point of contact:** Ms. C.A. Gross, Code 8202, (202) 767-6412

<sup>\*</sup>Acting



### **Technical Output**

### **Publications, Presentations, and Patents**

The Navy continues to be a pioneer in science and engineering developments and a leader in applying these advancements to military requirements. The primary means of informing the scientific and engineering community of the advances made at NRL is through the Laboratory's technical output—reports, articles in scientific journals, contributions to books, papers presented to scientific societies and topical conferences, patents, and inventions.

The figures for calendar years 2010 and 2011 presented below represent the output of NRL facilities in Washington, DC; Bay St. Louis, Mississippi; and Monterey, California.

In 1986, Congress enacted the Federal Technology Transfer Act in an effort to encourage the commercial use of technology developed in Federal laboratories. The Act allows Government inventors and the laboratories where they work to share the royalties generated by commercial licensing of their inventions. Also, the Act encourages the establishment of Cooperative Research and Development Agreements (CRADAs) between laboratories such as NRL and non-Federal entities such as state and local governments, universities, and business corporations. Such cooperative R&D agreements can include the allocation in advance of patent rights on any inventions made under the joint research effort.

The 1986 Act has given additional impetus to the Laboratory's efforts to patent important inventions arising out of its various research programs.

#### Calendar Year 2010

Type of Contribution	Unclassified	Classified	Total
Articles in periodicals, chapters in books,			
and papers in published proceedings	1502	0	1502
Oral Presentations	2181	0	2181
NRL Formal Reports	6	6	12
NRL Memorandum Reports	67	8	75
Books	2	0	2
Patents granted	51	0	51
Statutory Invention Registrations (SIRs)	0	0	0

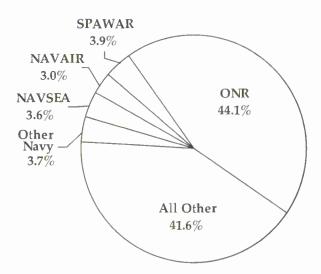
#### Calendar Year 2011

Type of Contribution	Unclassified	Classified	Total
Articles in periodicals, chapters in books,	1200	0	1398*
and papers in published proceedings	1398	0	
Oral Presentations	2301	0	2301
NRL Formal Reports	6	5	11
NRL Memorandum Reports	51	4	55
Books	1	0	1
Patents granted	87	1	88
Statutory Invention Registrations (SIRs)	0	0	0

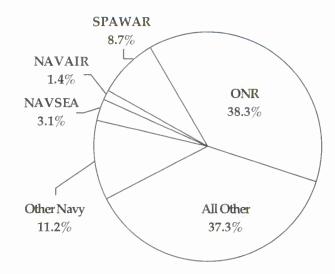
<sup>\*</sup>This is a provisional total based on information available to the Ruth H. Hooker Research Library on August 1, 2012. Total includes refereed and non-refereed publications.

## FY 2010/2011 Sources of New Funds (Actual)





#### FY 2011



FY 2010 Source of Funds (%)

		\$M	
FY 2010	Reimbursable	<b>Direct Cite</b>	Total
Office of Naval Research (ONR)	314.0	168.2	482.2
Naval Sea Systems Command (NAVSEA)	19.6	19.7	39.3
Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command (SPAWAR)	34.6	8.1	42.6
Naval Air Systems Command (NAVAIR)	11.5	21.8	33.3
Other Navy	19.3	21.5	40.8
All Other	284.6	170.2	454.8
Total Funds	683.6	409.5	1,093.1

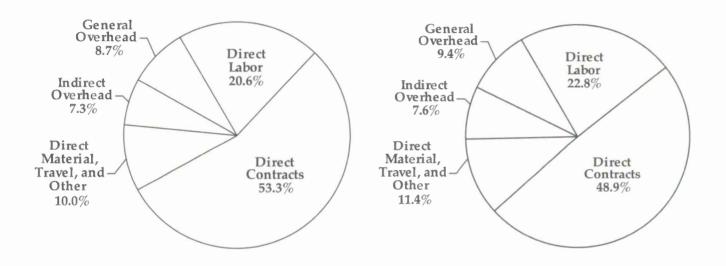
FY 2011 Source of Funds (%)

		\$M	
FY 2011	Reimbursable	<b>Direct Cite</b>	Total
Office of Naval Research (ONR)	319.6	101.6	421.2
Naval Sea Systems Command (NAVSEA)	22.9	10.9	33.8
Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command (SPAWAR)	40.7	54.7	95.4
Naval Air Systems Command (NAVAIR)	7.8	7.4	15.2
Other Navy	72.3	50.2	122.5
All Other	264.2	<u>145.9</u>	410.1
Total Funds	727.6	370.6	1,098.2

### **FY 2010/2011 Uses of Funds**

#### FY 2010

#### FY 2011



### FY 2010 Distribution of Funds (%)

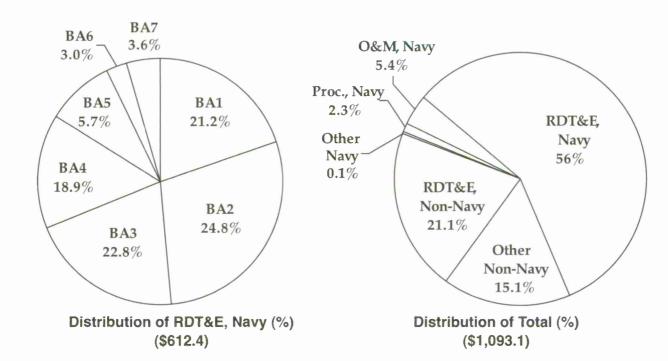
	\$M
Direct Labor	228.9
General Overhead	96.0
Indirect Overhead	81.5
Direct Material, Travel, and Other	111.4
Direct Contracts	<u>591.8</u>
Total Costs*	1,109.6

# FY 2011 Distribution of Funds (%)

	\$M
Direct Labor	241.5
General Overhead	99.2
Indirect Overhead	80.0
Direct Material, Travel, and Other	120.3
Direct Contracts	517.3
Total Costs*	1,058.3

<sup>\*</sup>Costs based on CFO statements; direct contracts include costs for reimbursable-funded contracts and obligations for direct cite-funded contracts.

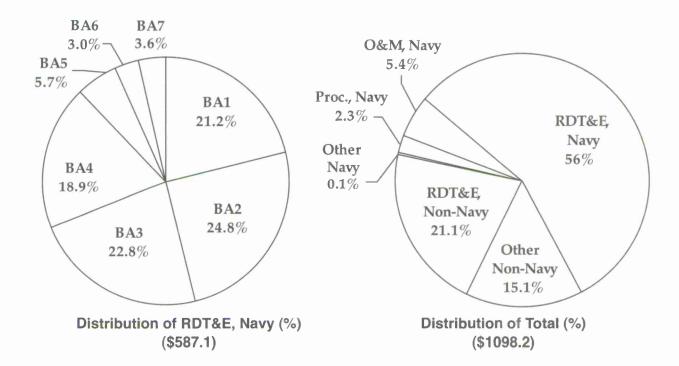
### FY 2010 Total New Funds by Category



### FY 2010

		\$M	
Category	Navy	Non-Navy	Total
BA1 Basic Research	130.1	9.4	139.5
BA2 Applied Research	151.6	31.6	183.2
BA3 Advanced Technology Development	139.8	93.3	233.1
BA4 Advanced Component Development Prototypes	115.9	60.8	176.7
BA5 System Development and Demonstration	34.7	4.7	39.4
BA6 RDT&E Management Support	18.2	8.8	27
BA7 Operational System Development	22.1	<u>22.4</u>	44.5
Subtotal RDT&E	612.4	231	843.4
Operations and Maintenance	58.7	43.8	102.5
Procurement	24.7	39.5	64.2
Other	1.6	<u>81.4</u>	<u>83</u>
Total New Funds	697.4	395.7	1,093.1

### **FY 2011 Total New Funds by Category**



#### FY 2011

		\$M	
Category	Navy	Non-Navy	Total
BA1 Basic Research	126.7	7.4	134.1
BA2 Applied Research	161.2	33.5	194.7
BA3 Advanced Technology Development	117.3	90.4	207.7
BA4 Advanced Component Development Prototypes	112.1	67.6	179.7
BA5 System Development and Demonstration	31.6	15.5	47.1
BA6 RDT&E Management Support	17.2	7.2	24.4
BA7 Operational System Development	21	24.9	45.9
Subtotal RDT&E	587.1	246.5	833.6
Operations and Maintenance	65.7	58.5	102.5
Procurement	21.2	38.8	64.2
Other	1.7	<u>78.7</u>	83
Total New Funds	675.7	422.5	1,098.2

### **Personnel Information\***

### Civilian On-Board

Full-Time, Permanent (FTP)

 Graded
 2,328

 Ungraded
 92

 Total
 2,420

Temporary, Part-Time, Intermittent (TPTI)

TPTI <u>302</u>

Total Civilian 2,722

#### FTP Breakdown

Scientific/Engineering Professional	1,572
Scientific/Engineering Technical	92
Administrative Specialist/Professional	376
Administrative Support	251
Senior Executive Service	21
Scientific or Professional	16
General Schedule	0
Total	2,328

### Military On-Board

Officers	33
Enlisted	_52
Total Military On-Board	85
(Military Allowance)	110

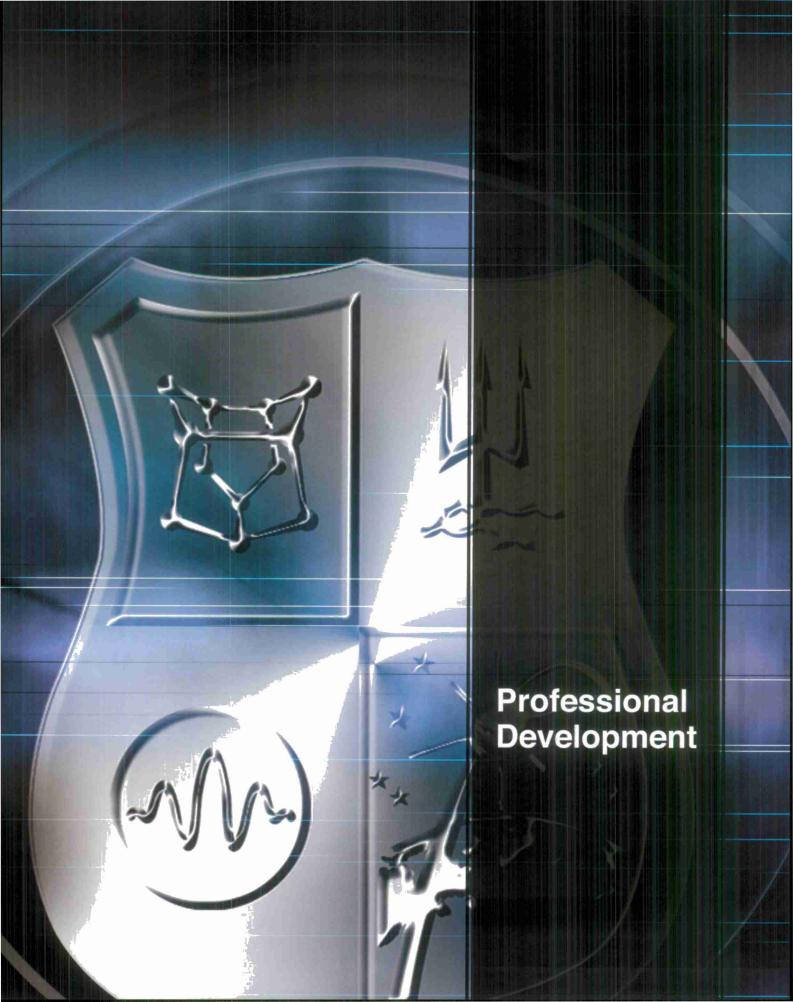
### Annual Civilian Turnover Rate (%) (permanent employees only)

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Research divisions	6.0	6.8	7.2	9.5	8.5	6.9	4.7	5	5.3
Nonresearch areas	8.2	8.2	8.5	11.0	13.7	13.3	7.4	11	13.5
Entire Laboratory	6.4	6.5	7.4	9.7	9.6	8.2	5.3	6.2	6.9

### **Highest Academic Degrees Held by Civilian Permanent Employees**

Bachelors	573
Masters	368
Doctorates	839

<sup>\*</sup>All data is as of 31 July 2012 unless otherwise noted.



### **Professional Development**

### **Programs for NRL Employees**

The Human Resources Office supports and provides traditional and alternative methods of training for employees. NRL employees are encouraged to develop their skills and enhance their job performance so they can meet the future needs of NRL and achieve their own goals for growth.

One common study procedure is for employees to work full time at the Laboratory while taking job-related courses at universities and schools local to their job site. The training ranges from a single course to undergraduate, graduate, and postgraduate course work. Tuition for training is paid by NRL. The formal programs offered by NRL are described here.

### **Graduate Programs**

The Advanced Graduate Research Program (formerly the Sabbatical Study Program, which began in 1964) enables selected professional employees to devote full time to research or pursue work in their own or a related field for up to one year at an institution or research facility of their choice without the loss of regular salary, leave, or fringe benefits. NRL pays all travel and moving expenses for the employee. Criteria for eligibility include professional stature consistent with the applicant's opportunities and experience, a satisfactory program of study, and acceptance by the facility selected by the applicant. The program is open to employees who have completed six years of Federal service, four of which have been at NRL.

The Edison Memorial Graduate Training Program enables employees to pursue graduate studies in their fields at local universities. Participants in this program may work 24 hours each workweek and pursue their studies during the other 16 hours. The criteria for eligibility include a minimum of one year of service at NRL, a bachelor's or master's degree in an appropriate field, and professional standing in keeping with the candidate's opportunities and experience.

To be eligible for the Select Graduate Training Program, employees must have a bachelor's degree in an appropriate field and must have demonstrated ability and aptitude for advanced training. Students accepted into this program receive one-half of their salary and benefits

and NRL pays for tuition and travel expenses.

The Naval Postgraduate School (NPS), located in Monterey, California, provides graduate programs to enhance the technical preparation of Naval officers and civilian employees who serve the Navy in the fields of science, engineering, operations analysis, and management. NRL employees desiring to pursue graduate studies at NPS may apply; thesis work is accomplished at NRL. Participants continue to receive full pay and benefits during the period of study. NRL also pays for tuition and travel expenses.

In addition to NRL and university offerings, application may be made to a number of noteworthy programs and fellowships. Examples of such opportunities are the Capitol Hill Workshops, the Legislative Fellowship (LEGIS) program, the Federal Executive Institute (FEI), and the Executive Leadership Program for Mid-Level Employees. These and other programs are announced from time to time, as schedules are published.

### **Continuing Education**

Undergraduate and graduate courses offered at local colleges and universities may be subsidized by NRL for employees interested in improving their skills and keeping abreast of current developments in their fields.

NRL offers **short courses** to all employees in a number of fields of interest including administrative subjects and supervisory and management techniques. Laboratory employees may also attend these courses at nongovernment facilities.

For further information on any of the above Graduate and Continuing Education programs, contact the Workforce Development and Management Branch (Code 1840) at (202) 404-8314 or via email at Training@hro.nrl.navy. mil.

The Scientist-to-Sea Program (STSP) provides opportunities for Navy R&D laboratory/center personnel to go to sea to gain first-hand insight into operational factors affecting system design, performance, and operations on a variety of ships. NRL is a participant of this Office of Naval Research (ONR) program. Contact (202) 767-7627.

### **Professional Development**

NRL has several programs, professional society chapters, and informal clubs that enhance the professional growth of employees. Some of these are listed below.

The Counseling & Referral Service (C/RS) helps employees improve job performance through counseling designed to resolve problems that may adversely affect job performance. Such problems may include family and/or work-related stress, relationship difficulties, or behavioral, emotional, or substance abuse problems. C/RS provides confidential assessment, short-term counseling, training workshops, and referral to additional resources in the community. Contact (202) 767-6857.

The NRL Women in Science and Engineering (WISE) Network was formed in 1997 through the merger of the NRL chapter of WISE and the Women in Science and Technology Network. Luncheon meetings and seminars are held to discuss scientific research areas, career opportunities, and career-building strategies. The group also sponsors projects to promote the professional success of the NRL S&T community and improve the NRL working environment. Membership is open to all S&T professionals. Contact (202) 404-4389.

Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society, encourages and acknowledges original investigation in pure and applied science. It is an honor society for research scientists. Individuals who have demonstrated the ability to perform original research are elected to membership in local chapters. The NRL Edison Chapter, comprising approximately 200 members, recognizes original research by presenting annual awards in pure and applied science to two outstanding NRL staff members per year. In addition, an award seeking to reward rising stars in the lab is presented annually through the Young Investigator Award. The chapter also sponsors several lectures per year at NRL on a wide range of topics of general interest to the scientific and DoD community. These lectures are delivered by scientists from all over the world. The highlight of the Sigma Xi Lecture Series is the Edison Memorial Lecture, which traditionally is given by a internationally distinguished scientist. Contact (202) 767-2007.

The NRL Mentor Program was established to provide an innovative approach to professional and career training and an environment for personal and professional growth. It is open to permanent NRL employees in all job series and at all sites. Mentorees are matched with successful, experienced colleagues having more technical and/or managerial experience who can provide them with the knowledge and skills needed to maximize their contribution to the success of their immediate organization, to NRL, to the Navy, and to their chosen career fields. The ultimate goal of the program is to increase job productivity, creativity, and satisfaction through better com-

munication, understanding, and training. NRL Instruction 12400.1B provides policy and procedures for the program. For more information please contact mentor@hro.nrl.navy.mil or (202) 767-6736.

Employees interested in developing effective self-expression, listening, thinking, and leadership potential are invited to join the Forum Club, a chapter of Toast-masters International. Members of this club possess diverse career backgrounds and talents and learn to communicate not by rules but by practice in an atmosphere of understanding and helpful fellowship. NRL's Commanding Officer and Director of Research endorse Toastmasters. Contact (202) 404-4670.

# **Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) Programs**

Equal employment opportunity (EEO) is a fundamental NRL policy for all employees regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age, sexual orientation, or disability. The NRL EEO Office is a service organization whose major functions include counseling employees in an effort to resolve employee/management conflicts, processing formal discrimination complaints, providing EEO training, and managing NRL's affirmative employment recruitment program. The NRL EEO Office is also responsible for sponsoring special-emphasis programs to promote awareness and increase sensitivity and appreciation of the issues or the history relating to females, individuals with disabilities, and minorities. Contact the NRL Deputy EEO Officer at (202) 767-2486 for additional information on any of their programs or services.

#### Other Activities

The award-winning Community Outreach Program directed by the NRL Public Affairs Office fosters programs that benefit students and other community citizens. Volunteer employees assist with and judge science fairs, give lectures, provide science demonstrations and student tours of NRL, and serve as tutors, mentors, coaches, and classroom resource teachers. The program sponsors student tours of NRL, and an annual holiday party for neighborhood children in December. Through the program, NRL has active partnerships with three District of Columbia public schools. Contact (202) 767-2541.

Other programs that enhance the development of NRL employees include sports and theater groups and the Amateur Radio Club. The NRL Fitness Center at NRL-DC, managed by Naval Support Activity Washington Morale, Welfare and Recreation (NSAW-MWR), houses a fitness room with treadmills, bikes, ellipticals, step mills, and a full strength circuit; a gymnasium for basketball, volleyball, and other activities; a game room; and full locker rooms. The Fitness Center is free to NRL employ-

ees and contractors. NRL employees are also eligible to participate in all NSAW MWR activities held on Joint Base Anacostia–Bolling and Washington Navy Yard, less than five miles away. The NRL Showboaters Theatre, organized in 1974, is "in the dark." Visit www.nrl.navy. mil/showboaters/Past\_Productions.php for pictures from past productions such as Annie Get Your Gun, Gigi, and Hello Dolly. Contact (202) 404-4998 for Play Reader's meetings at NRL.

### **Programs for Non-NRL Employees**

Several programs have been established for non-NRL professionals. These programs encourage and support the participation of visiting scientists and engineers in research of interest to the Laboratory. Some of the programs may serve as stepping-stones to Federal careers in science and technology. Their objective is to enhance the quality of the Laboratory's research activities through working associations and interchanges with highly capable scientists and engineers and to provide opportunities for outside scientists and engineers to work in the Navy laboratory environment. Along with enhancing the Laboratory's research, these programs acquaint participants with Navy capabilities and concerns and may provide a path to full-time employment.

# Recent Ph.D., Faculty Member, and College Graduate Programs

The National Research Council (NRC) Cooperative Research Associateship Program selects associates who conduct research at NRL in their chosen fields in collaboration with NRL scientists and engineers. Appointments are for one year (renewable for a second and possible third year).

The NRL/ASEE Postdoctoral Fellowship Program, administered by the American Society for Engineering Education (ASEE), aims to increase the involvement of highly trained scientists and engineers in disciplines necessary to meet the evolving needs of naval technology. Appointments are for one year (renewable for a second and possible third year).

The Naval Research Enterprise Intern Program (NREIP) is a ten-week program involving NROTC colleges/universities and their affiliates. The Office of Naval Research (ONR) offers summer appointments at Navy laboratories to current sophomores, juniors, seniors, and graduate students from participating schools. Application is online at www.asee.org/nreip through the American Society for Engineering Education. Electronic applications are sent for evaluation to the point of contact at the Navy laboratory identified by the applicant. Students are

provided a stipend of \$7,500 (undergraduates) or \$10,000 (graduate students).

The American Society for Engineering Education also administers the Navy/ASEE Summer Faculty Research and Sabbatical Leave Program for university faculty members to work for ten weeks (or longer, for those eligible for sabbatical leave) with professional peers in participating Navy laboratories on research of mutual interest.

The NRL/United States Naval Academy (USNA) Cooperative Program for Scientific Interchange allows faculty members of the U.S. Naval Academy to participate in NRL research. This collaboration benefits the Academy by providing the opportunity for USNA faculty members to work on research of a more practical or applied nature. In turn, NRL's research program is strengthened by the available scientific and engineering expertise of the USNA faculty.

The National Defense Science and Engineering Graduate Fellowship Program helps U.S. citizens obtain advanced training in disciplines of science and engineering critical to the U.S. Navy. The three-year program awards fellowships to recent outstanding graduates to support their study and research leading to doctoral degrees in specified disciplines such as electrical engineering, computer sciences, material sciences, applied physics, and ocean engineering. Award recipients are encouraged to continue their study and research in a Navy laboratory during the summer.

For further information about the above six programs, contact (202) 404-7450.

### **Professional Appointments**

Faculty Member Appointments use the special skills and abilities of faculty members for short periods to fill positions of a scientific, engineering, professional, or analytical nature at NRL.

Consultants and experts are employed because they are outstanding in their fields of specialization or because they possess ability of a rare nature and could not normally be employed as regular civil servants.

Intergovernmental Personnel Act Appointments temporarily assign personnel from state or local governments or educational institutions to the Federal Government (or vice versa) to improve public services rendered by all levels of government.

# College and High School Student Programs

The student programs are tailored to high school, undergraduate, and graduate students to provide employment opportunities and work experience in naval research. These programs are designed to attract appli-

cants for student and full professional employment in fields such as engineering, physics, mathematics, and computer sciences. The student employment programs are designed to help students and educational institutions gain a better understanding of NRL's research, its challenges, and its opportunities. To participate in these programs, the student must be continuously enrolled in school on at least a half-time basis at a qualifying educational institution; and be at least 16 years of age and a U.S. citizen.

The **Student Career Experience Program (SCEP)** employs students in study-related occupations. The program is conducted in accordance with a planned schedule and a working agreement among NRL, the educational institution, and the student. Primary focus is on the pursuit of undergraduate and graduate degrees in engineering, computer science, or the physical sciences. Applications are accepted year-round.

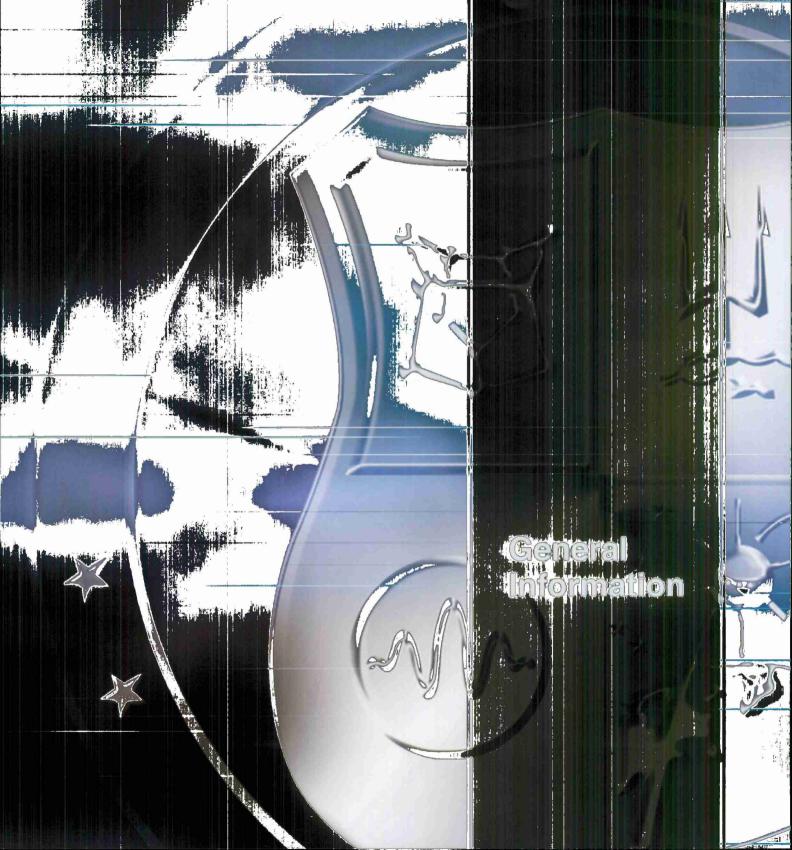
The **Student Temporary Employment Program** (STEP) is a one year temporary employment program that may be renewed. This program enables students to earn a salary while continuing their studies and offers them valuable work experience. They must be continuously enrolled in school on at least a half-time basis at a qualifying educational institution. Applications are accepted year-round.

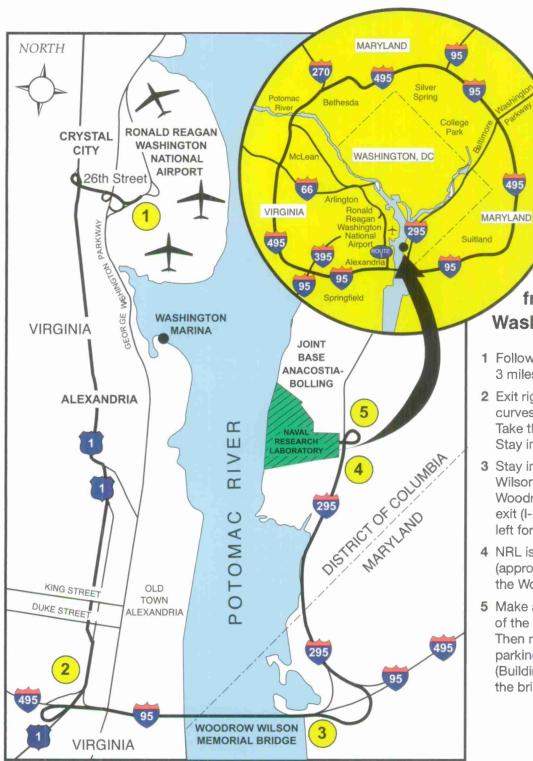
The **Summer Employment Program (SEP)** employs students for the summer that are enrolled in a qualifying educational institution on at least a half-time basis studying paraprofessional and technician positions in engineering, physical sciences, computer sciences, and mathematics. Applications are due the second Friday in February.

The **Student Volunteer Program** helps students gain valuable experience by allowing them to voluntarily perform educationally related work at NRL. Applications are accepted year-round.

For additional information on these student programs, contact (202) 767-8313.

For high school students, the **DoD Science & Engineering Apprentice Program (SEAP)** offers students grades 9 to 12 the opportunity to serve for eight weeks to participate in research at a Department of Navy laboratory during the summer. Under the direction of a mentor, students gain a better understanding of the challenges and opportunities of research through participation in scientific programs. Criteria for eligibility are based on science and mathematics courses completed and grades achieved; scientific motivation, curiosity, and capacity for sustained hard work; a desire for a technical career; teacher recommendations; and achievement test scores. For more information, please contact the SEAP coordinator at SEAP@hro.nrl.navy.mil or (202) 767-8324/8309/6736.





Naval Research Laboratory (Washington, DC)

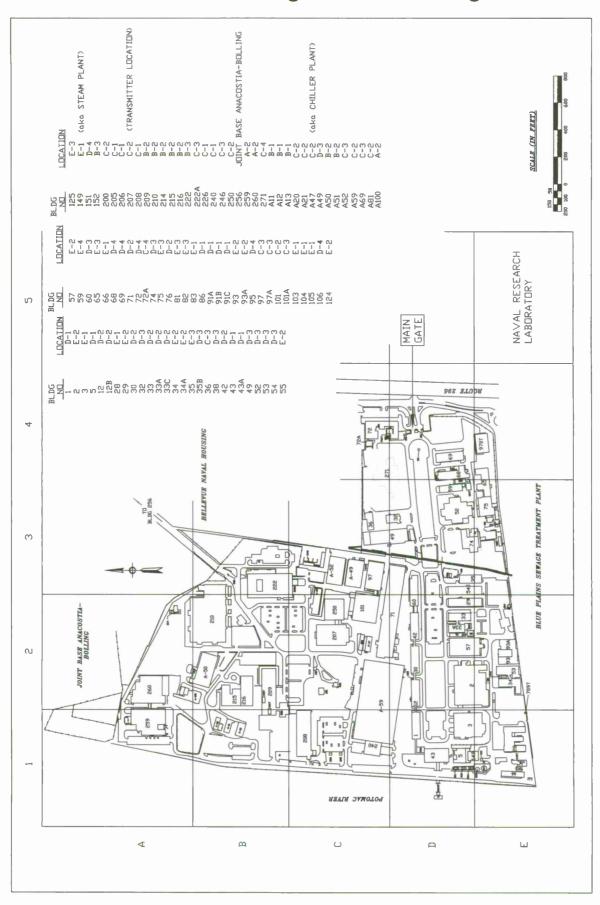
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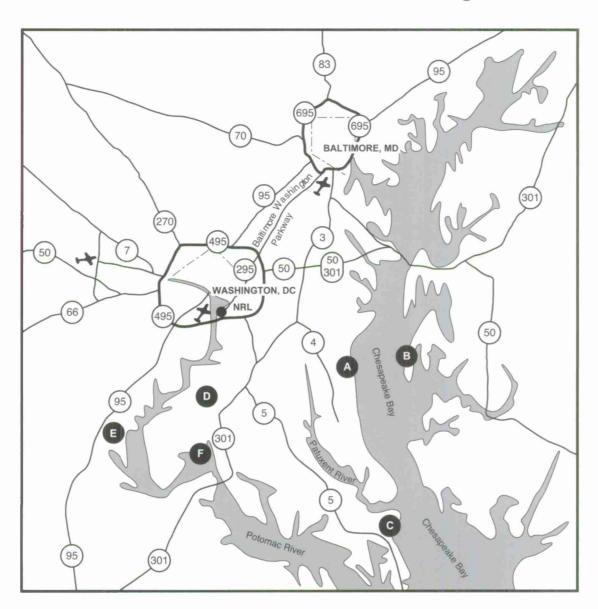
- 1 Follow Route 1 South for approximately 3 miles to the Beltway I-95/I-495.
- 2 Exit right to the Beltway. This exit curves to the right and then divides. Take the left fork to I-95 (Baltimore). Stav in local lanes.
- 3 Stay in the right lane on the Woodrow Wilson Bridge. After crossing the Woodrow Wilson Bridge, take the first exit (I-295). This exit divides. Take the left fork to I-295 North.
- 4 NRL is the first exit off of I-295 (approximately 2 miles) after crossing the Woodrow Wilson Bridge.
- 5 Make a right at the traffic light in front of the main gate (Overlook Avenue). Then make an immediate left into the parking lot. The Visitor Control Center (Building 72) is located on the corner in the brick building next to the main gate.

Naval Research Laboratory 4555 Overlook Avenue, SW Washington, DC 20375-5320 (202) 767-3200 - DSN 297-3200

### Location of Buildings at NRL Washington

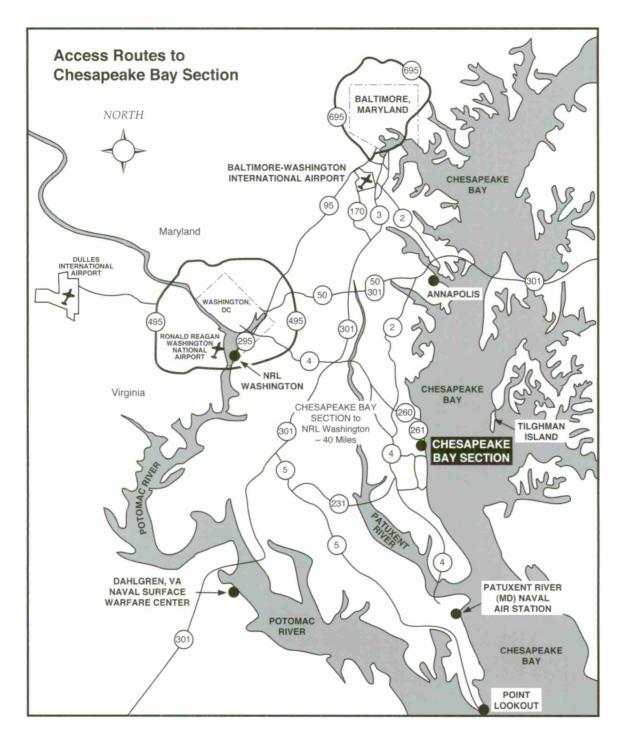


### **Location of Field Sites in the NRL Washington Area**



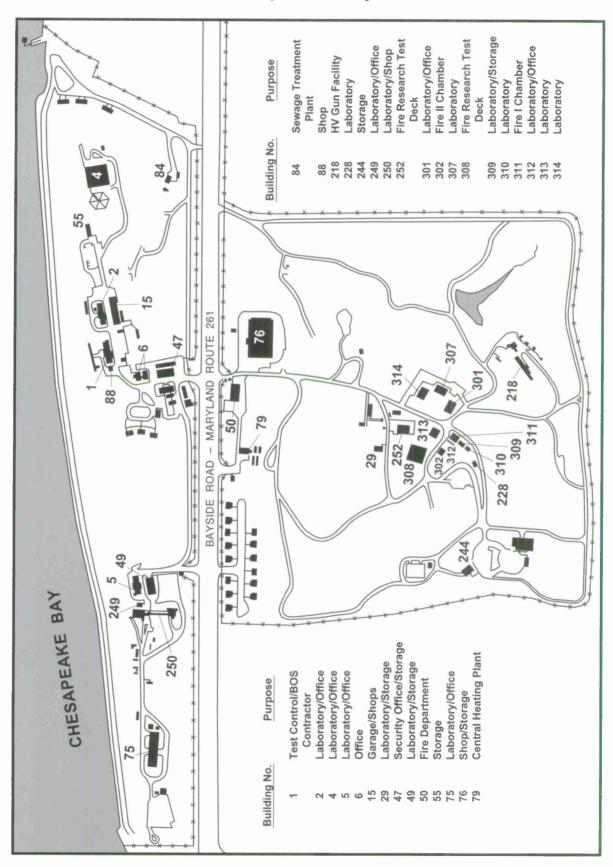
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		<u>Location</u>	NRL Washington	Code
Α	_	Chesapeake Bay Section, Chesapeake Beach, MD	40	3522
В	_	Tilghman Island, MD	110	3522
C	_	Patuxent River (MD) Naval Air Station	64	1600
D	_	Pomonkey, MD	20	8124
E	_	Midway Research Center, Quantico, VA	38	8140
F	_	Blossom Point, MD	40	8140

# **Chesapeake Bay Section** (Chesapeake Beach, Maryland)

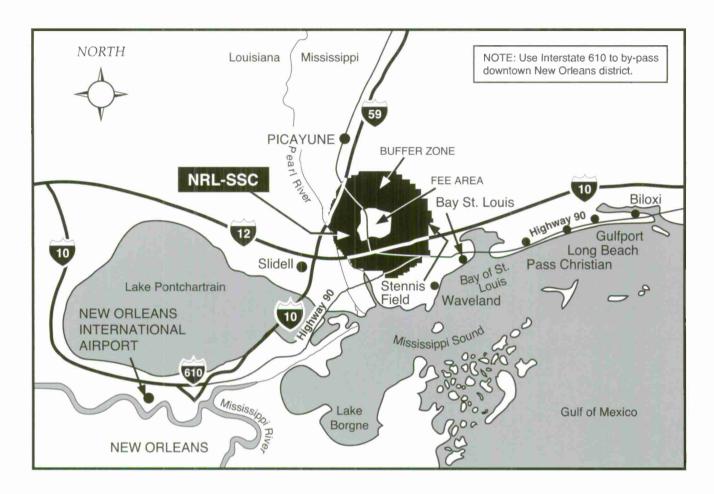


Naval Research Laboratory Chesapeake Bay Section 5813 Bayside Road Chesapeake Beach, MD 20732 (301) 257-4002

# Location of Buildings at the Chesapeake Bay Section

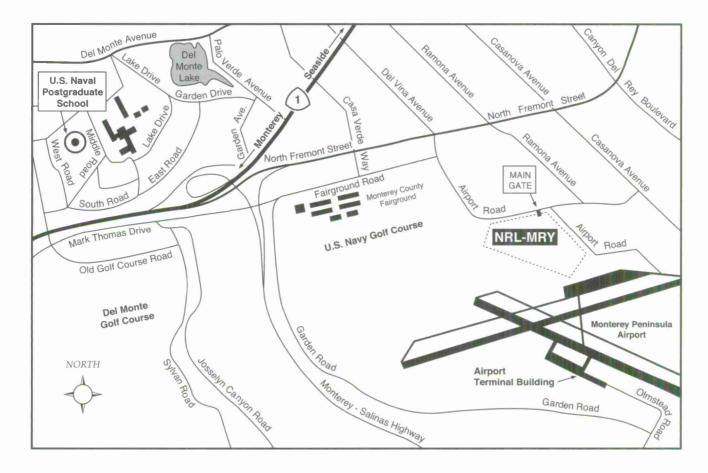


# John C. Stennis Space Center (Stennis Space Center, Mississippi)



Naval Research Laboratory John C. Stennis Space Center Stennis Space Center, MS 39529-5004 (228) 688-3390

# Naval Research Laboratory Monterey (Monterey, California)



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1001.1	Executive Assistant to the Director of Research	(202) 767-2445
1001.2	Head, Strategic Workforce Planning	(202) 767-3421
1001.3	Executive Assistant for Technology Deployment	(202) 767-0851
1002	Chief Staff Officer	(202) 767-3621
1004	Head, Office of Technology Transfer	(202) 767-3083
1006	Head, Office of Program Administration and Policy Development	(202) 767-1312
1008	Head, Office of Counsel	(202) 767-2244
1030	Head, Public Affairs Office	(202) 767-2541
1100	Director, Institute for Nanoscience	(202) 767-1803
1200	Head, Command Support Division	(202) 767-3091
1400	Head, Military Support Division	(202) 767-2273
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	(PAX River NAS)	(301) 342-3751
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1800	Director, Human Resources Office	(202) 767-8322
1830	Deputy Equal Employment Opportunity Officer	(202) 767-8390
3005	Deputy for Small Business	(202) 767-0666
3540	Head, Safety Branch	(202) 767-2232
	BUSINESS OPERATIONS DIRECTORA	TF
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3005	Deputy for Small Business	(202) 767-0666
3030	Head, Management Information Systems Office	(202) 404-3659
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3300	Head, Financial Management Division	(202) 767-3405
3400	Head, Supply and Information Services Division	(202) 767-3446
3500	Director, Research and Development Services Division	(202) 404-4054
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